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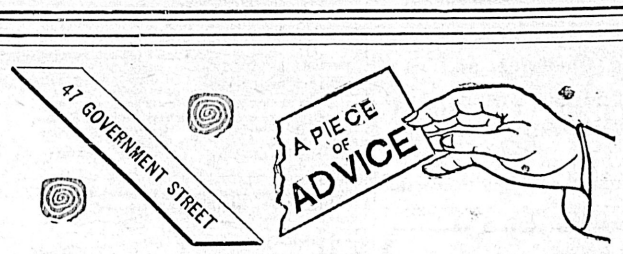

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ANARCHIST DEVELOPMENTS.

Important Seizures of Manuscripts, Leaflets and Letters in Lucca—"A Reign of Terror" Advocated.

ROME, March 19.—The police in Lucca searched the lodgings of many anarchists in and around Lucca to-day. They seized a great quantity of manuscripts, leaflets and letters that had passed between anarchist conspirators. One letter was signed by the notorious conspirator and fugitive Malatesta, who discussed in it the expediency of a general outbreak of the Roman anarchists on the anniversary of the Paris commune. He advised that the comrades in Rome arm themselves and make every effort to establish a Reign of Terror in the capital. Other equally incriminating letters were found. Two of them were from conspicuous Socialist leaders, who had taken counsel with the anarchists.

A CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

TO THE EDITOR:—In your Sunday edition, in an editorial, you say that Dr. Milne got me dismissed from the High school. Now, as this is a slander upon Dr. Milne and myself, I ask you to publish the following facts:

In an editorial of the COLONIST of March 5, 1889, the following appears: "The fact is as the Minister (the late Hon. John Robson) said, in his blunt way, the agitation against daily marking has been worked up by a crank (J. N. Muir) who was ignominiously, but deservedly, kicked out of our schools."

The late Hon. John Robson was sworn and gave the following evidence in 1890: "Did you not send for J. N. Muir to come to your office after he had sent in his resignation as principal of the high school in 1887?" "Yes." "Did you not request and urge him to withdraw his resignation?" "Yes."

Dr. Pope at the same time, on oath, gave evidence that he too had asked me to withdraw my resignation. On October 1, 1887, the following appeared in the Times: "We are requested by Mr. Muir to state that the Board of School Trustees have no choice in the matter of accepting his resignation. They must accept it, as he has given them the requisite notice."

You will thus see that your statement about Dr. Milne effecting my dismissal, or that I was dismissed, is absolutely false. I hope you will have the honor and justice to set this matter right, or otherwise it must injure your cause. J. N. MUIR.

DENVER AND CRIPPLE CREEK.

Governor Waite Submits the Issues of the Controversy to the Courts.

Troops Sent to the Cripple Creek Mines, Which Are Now Under Guard.

DENVER, Col., March 19.—The contest over fire and police commissioners is now in the courts without bloodshed. Governor Waite on Saturday signed a statement reviewing the history of the contest, and asked the Supreme court to decide the question. The document aroused the ire of the attorneys for Martin & Orr, who declared that parts of the statement are lacking in veracity. The question regarding the alleged contempt of court they declare to be the most important one, but on this the statement of the Governor is silent, and the Supreme court will make a reply not later than Tuesday. Governor Waite issued early orders to dispatch the militia to the riotous camps of miners, information from Cripple Creek by telegraph having indicated that matters are very serious there. The miners are well armed and can muster fully five hundred men to engage in a contest with the militiamen. They are an intelligent but determined class, and could wage effective warfare. An effort will be made to make a peaceful settlement, but if the militia attempt to march over to Bull Mountain to protect the mines, there will certainly be a fight. The trouble is the effort of the miners to establish an eight hour day, while the mine managers demand nine hours. The mines were first closed down to effect the settlement and last week they were opened under the protection of the Sheriff under a court order.

This morning after a conference by telephone with the adjutant general, who was in charge of the militia at Cripple Creek, Governor Waite issued an order dismissing all the militia there to their homes, as their services were not needed. The hearing of the contempt of court case brought by the new police and fire commissioners against the old board and Mayor Van Horne, on Saturday, was adjourned this morning till to-morrow.

Adjutant General Larsney reported that the miners were ready to arbitrate and would not go out in battle array in any event. Asked if ordering the troops back to their respective armories meant that the militia would disband, Governor Waite smiled and said: "We will wait and see." The impression is that he will await the decision of the Supreme court before disbanding his soldiers.

CRIPPLE CREEK, March 19.—Everything is quiet this morning. The troops are in camp and the commanding officer says he does not expect to move them to-day.

General Brooks left for Altaman at 3 45 to personally visit the disaffected districts. The feeling at Altaman is decidedly antagonistic and all the mines are under guard, and it is said that the Victor mine will never be allowed to start up without trouble. There is a general feeling in Cripple Creek that the trouble is not yet ended. Special committees are en route to Denver to protest to Governor Waite against the removal of the troops. The report that he had ordered their removal caused great indignation.

CABLE NEWS.

Criminal Libel in Germany.

BERLIN, March 19.—The trial of the actions against Plack, Schwenagen and Ewäld, brought by Chancellor von Caprivi and Finance Minister Dr. Miquel for criminal libel, ended in the conviction of the prisoners. Plack was condemned to twenty-one months' imprisonment, Schwenagen to one year and Ewald to three months. Plack was charged with issuing a pamphlet slandering Dr. Miquel, and Schwenagen with writing articles vilifying Chancellor von Caprivi and other members of the Ministry. The offence of Ewald, who is a bookseller, was in selling the objectionable publications.

More Bomb Business.

ROME, March 19.—During a performance at the theatre at Lucca last evening a gentleman found in the door of his box a bomb with a lighted fuse attached. He quenched the fuse and turned the bomb over to the police. Investigation proved it to be a death-dealing implement.

Foreign Naval Enlargement.

LONDON, March 19.—In the House of Commons to-day, replying to a question, the Secretary to the Admiralty stated that in 1893 France launched battleships of an aggregate tonnage of 29,950; Russia $2,490 and the United States 30,600.

Brazilian Insurrection Not Over.

LONDON, March 19.—A Rio dispatch says it is believed da Gama and about seventy of his officers, who left the bay yesterday on Portuguese war vessels, will be put ashore at Montevideo, and from there they will join the insurgents in Southern Brazil.

Paper Prohibited.

BERLIN, March 19.—The circulation of the socialistic organ, Der Sozialist, which was to have been printed on red paper, will not be permitted.

Riffs Attack a Spanish Transport.

MELLILA, March 19.—A party of Riffs on the coast three miles from this town fired, to-day, on a transport which was conveying Spanish troops back to Malaga. They wounded one man. The Governor of Mellila is inquiring into the affair. No complications are expected to result from the shooting.

Geo. R. Raymond, of Westminster, is now running the Hotel Wilson at Nanaimo. Don't fail to call on him. First class cuisine and bar. *

Why do the people go to Weiler Bros. for "Carpets"? Simply because they can depend upon getting just what the article is said to be. *

Cheap dinner sets at Cheapside *

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Independence Dangerous to French-Canadian Nationality—Street Railway Doubles Its Capital—A Defaulter.

MONTREAL, March 19.—(Special)—P. G. Martin, at one time president of Le Club Nationale, publishes an open letter in reply to ex Lieut.-Governor Royal's brochure on Independence, in which he strongly opposes both Independence and Annexation, as being dangerous for the French-Canadian nationality.

Le Semaine Religieuse has completed a table which shows the total Roman Catholic population of the Dominion to be 2,058,000.

The Montreal street railway company to-day decided to increase their capital by $2,000,000, bringing the total capital up to $4,000,000; and the directors were empowered to issue new bonds to the extent of the increase, at such times and in such amounts as they might see fit. A meeting of the meeting of the directors will be held on Thursday next, when the course of action will be decided upon.

It was rumored to-day that Labreque, ledger keeper of La Banque Nationale, had suddenly left and had embezzled a large sum. Mr. Benoit, manager of the bank, said Labreque had left about Thursday last. An inspector had been going over the books of the bank, but so far has discovered a shortage of only $213 50. Mr. Benoit did not think the amount of the embezzlement would exceed that sum. Labreque had been three years in the bank's employ, and most of that time he was at the Quebec office. He was insured in a guarantee company to the extent of $4,000.

HAWAIIAN CORRESPONDENCE.

Dole Disavows Any Unfriendliness Towards the United States.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—Further correspondence between Willis and Dole was submitted to Congress to-day. It is mostly explanatory. Dole acknowledges receipt of a letter dated January 18 from Willis, and says that in it Willis shows a desire that no interpretation be placed upon the events referred to inconsistent with a friendly attitude on the part of himself and the United States towards Hawaii. On February 12 Dole addressed a letter to Willis in which he says, among other things, that he is much pleased with Willis' explanation as to why the American naval force was deprived of their liberty and prohibited from wearing uniforms on shore after the arrival of the Corwin. Dole says further that it has not been his desire to charge the United States with intending to use force, but rather to show that the withholding of information of the point had produced an unfortunate state of affairs, to which Willis' attention was called at the time. Dole closed by disavowing on the part of his Government any unfriendliness toward the United States.

ITALIAN TAXATION.

The Minister of Finance Refuses to Modify His Demands for New Imposts.

ROME, March 19.—Baron Sienna, minister of finance, has refused to modify his proposals for new taxes to the amount of a hundred million lire. There is such a strong sentiment among the deputies in favor of decreasing the amount in question, that it will be difficult to effect an understanding between the chamber and the cabinet.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Lacrosse Committees Formed—The 'Frisco Football Team—Easter Monday Game.

A meeting of the Executive committee of the Lacrosse club was held last evening, when the following committees were named: Finance—Messrs. Ellis, Jones and Rickaby; Grounds—Messrs. W. H. Cullin, Allice and Morphy; Printing and Advertising—Messrs. Drury, Mackenzie, Allice and Murray; Purchasing — Messrs. Eckardt, Ditchburn and W. H. Cullin. Matches: Messrs. Morphy, Smith, Mackenzie and Drury. It was decided that the colors of the club shall remain as last year, and that the chairman of the purchasing committee be instructed to prepare a design for a club badge and submit the same at the next meeting. As a practical form of encouragement, it was decided to offer a trophy to be competed for by the junior clubs of the Province.

FOOTBALL.

THE TEAM FOR 'FRISCO.

The football team for San Francisco who sailed from here last evening, consisted of the following: Full back, H. Petticrew, Victoria; three-quarters, C. H. Woodward, Vancouver; S. Webster, Nanaimo; W. Bamford, Nanaimo; half-backs, Jos. Neen, Nanaimo; R. A. Whyte, W. H. Langley, L. G. Sidey, E. A. C. Gibson, Victoria; forwards, H. Alexander, J. Graham, Vancouver, Jacob Neen, G. Lister, M. Duffy, J. Edmunds, Nanaimo. Reserves, H. C. Akroyd, Vancouver; E. E, Billinghurst, Victoria. On Thursday the Oregon and California teams play at the fair; on Friday the British Columbians play the Oregons, and the Californians on Saturday. Most of the teams will leave on the return trip on the 26th. The Californians are supposed to have a strong team, and one of the players is Orr, a celebrated Scot.

FOR EASTER MONDAY.

The secretary of the Victoria Rugby football club is endeavoring to arrange for a good inter-city match to take place here on Easter Monday.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Dispatches from St. John's, Newfoundland, on Saturday night stated that the bark Cleddu Bell, just arrived at that place, reported the foundering of a steamer in mid-ocean.

X L Carving Set at Cheapside. *

Mrs. H. Kosche, the ladies' hair dresser, has returned from San Francisco, and will be pleased to see all her customers, at 31 Government street. Ladies' and children's hair cutting, shampooing, manicuring, and all kinds of hair work done to order. Theatrical wigs for hire. Faces fixed up. *

SPECIAL facilities for making blank books. R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street. *

CAPITAL NOTES.

Address Adopted—The Easter Recess—Martin Recognizes Laurier as His Leader.

Question of Title—Russian Seizures of Sealers—Chinamen and Esquimalt Fortifications.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, March 19.—The House to-day decided to adjourn from Wednesday to Tuesday. A number of bills were introduced.

Hon. Mr. Foster told Mr. Laurier that the Government would announce its policy on the French treaty after the Easter holidays, as two large deputations were coming down on the subject.

The debate on the address was continued by Messrs. McDonald, McMillan, Charlton and Martin. The latter made a belligerent speech, and finally embraced Mr. Laurier as his leader.

Hon. Mr. Mills berated the Government for allowing Lord Aberdeen to style himself Viceroy in the speech from the throne. The House laughed and cheered uproariously when Sir John Thompson read from one of Lord Dufferin's speeches at the close of Parliament during the Reform regime, when Mr. Mills was a minister, and the same terms were used.

The address was adopted.

Mr. McDougall, Cape Breton, will move for papers respecting the Russian seizures of Canadian vessels in June, 1892.

Mr. Mara will move for copies of all the reports relating to the Westminster penitentiary. Mr. Mulock has a similar notice on the paper.

Mr. Prior will ask that steps be taken to employ white labor on the Esquimalt fortifications in place of Chinese.

Conservative members are interviewing Mr. Foster re the tariff. They want free oil, agricultural implements, books, etc.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Must Return Home.

MONTREAL, March 19.—An action was taken by a man named Fisher to compel his wife to return to him, she having deserted her husband. Judge Pagnuelo declared that the woman must return to her husband within fifteen days or forfeit her marriage rights.

Family Burned to Death.

HALIFAX, March 19.—News comes from St. John, Newfoundland, that in the settlement of Bay of Bulls the house of a man named John Driscoll caught fire during his absence and his wife and four children, who were asleep, were all burned to death.

TORONTO TOPICS.

Neil Dow's Ninetieth Birthday Celebration—MacWherrell Sentenced to Hang for the Williams Murder.

TORONTO, March 19.—(Special.)—Robert W. Phillips, an old and prominent resident, died yesterday. He held the position of chief clerk of the Foresters of Ontario for a number of years, and always took a lively interest in public affairs, being particularly prominent in his advocacy of the National Policy.

MacWherrell has been found guilty of the murder of the old Williams couple, on the outskirts of Toronto, in December last, and has been sentenced to be hanged on June 1.

James Fitzgerald, an old man who had been celebrating the 17th, fell down stairs and was killed.

Two thousand temperance people celebrated the ninetieth birthday of Neil Dow in the pavilion here on Sunday.

The report of the Provincial Department of Immigration for 1893 shows the total number of immigrants which came into Ontario in that year was 6,571, being a decrease of 1,200 from the previous year.

The Senate of Toronto University has appealed to the Ontario Government for financial aid, but without success.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Death of a Well Known Hudson Bay Official—Forthcoming Regatta on the Red River.

WINNIPEG, March 19.—(Special)—The next Minnesota and Winnipeg Association regatta will be held on the Red river course here.

The trial of Hodgins, charged with assisting in the escape of a prisoner from the Selkirk jail, was taken up at the Assizes to-day. A verdict of "not guilty" was returned.

Joseph James Hargrave, well known in the Hudsons Bay Company's office, died at Edinburg, Scotland, last week. The deceased entered the service of the Hudsons Bay Company at Fort Garry in 1861. He was employed in various capacities.

Rev. Dr. Robertson has been nominated as Moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly by the Brandon Presbytery.

C. H. Gibbons, city editor of the Victoria COLONIST, chief consul of the Canadian Wheelman's Association in British Columbia, passed through yesterday, en route to Toronto to attend the annual business meeting of the Association to be held in the Queen city on Good Friday.

ROSEBERY AND HOME RULE.

Churchill Charges Him With Infringing the Privileges of the House.

DUBLIN, March 19.—The Freeman's Journal says Lord Rosebery's Edinburgh speech has confounded the prophesies of disaster to Home Rule and justified the confidence felt that he never harbored the absurd doctrine ascribed to him by the London Times.

LONDON, March 19.—In the House of Commons to-day a motion by Lord Churchill that Lord Rosebery had infringed the privileges of the House by making a political speech at Leith on Saturday night was ridiculed, and an amendment that the House proceed to the business of the day was adopted.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Mr. Eberts' Dyking Bill Endorsed—Snow at New Westminster—Important Land Negotiations.

Mining Matters and Interior News—Abduction Charges Abandoned—Home for the Aged.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, March 19.—C. T. Williams has been appointed manager of the New Jute Co.'s factory.

The license board took up the matter of several liquor stores said to sell liquor by the glass. The matter will be investigated later.

Ten Great Northern railroad officials are in Vancouver looking over the ground. Some of them are going into the interior. The exact reason of their visit is not really known, but it is thought that they are spying out a location with the view of extending their road in this Province. They were entertained by the Mayor. Their names were: P. Shelby, Seattle; W. W. Finley, St. Paul; L. W. Campbell, Chicago; C. H. Tucker, Cleveland; W. J. Byrth, Cincinnati; L. W. Lake, New York; J. H. Graves, Philadelphia; J. J. Simcock, St. Paul; J. H. McAdoo, Pittsburg.

The Council will call for tenders for the lighting of the city for five years. The Council also will consider the practicability of buying their plant.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 19.—Nearly a foot of snow fell this afternoon which lasted from Saturday evening till Sunday at noon, when a rapid thaw set in and very little of it is left now.

A public meeting was held at Coquitlam on Saturday, endorsing Mr. Eberts dyking bill.

The case against Bent and Connery, the Great Northern brakemen, charged with the abduction of two girls has been dropped, there being no possibility of a conviction.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, March 19.—The preliminary hearing of the criminal libel suit against W. J. Gallagher, of the Telegram has been postponed for one week.

It is reported that negotiations are pending for the bonding of one thousand acres at the north end of Gabriola Island to a New York syndicate.

Arrived: Bark Kate Davenport; sailed: Ship India.

REVELSTOKE.

(From the Kootenay Star.)

George and T. Terryberry, who left for Carne's creek last Tuesday took up two months' supplies, and will at once commence operations on the Rip van Winkle claim. There is already a shaft about 300 feet from the present channel. This shaft they will tap at the bottom by driving a tunnel for about 100 feet, the mouth of the tunnel being about 200 feet from the creek. This will drain the shaft and all subsequent levels which will branch off from it.

Many promising ledges have been discovered in the Big Bend, which are being kept dark. The new wagon road to Steamboat canyon will reduce prices quite one-half.

Carne's creek, twenty-eight miles north of Revelstoke, has been staked under the placer mining lease law for some three or four miles. With the sure advent of a wagon road to the head of the canyon, the miners are flocking back to their old claims. The bed-rock on Carne's creek is deep, and in some places the in-flow of water is too great to be kept under control by the primitive means employed heretofore. "Cariboo" Cameron pronounced the creek rich, and small fortunes have been made there inside of the last eight years.

KAMLOOPS.

(From the Sentinel.)

Application to the commissioners for another hotel license was opposed at the last meeting by Rev. Mr. Betts and Rev. Mr. Lee, backed by a petition containing 157 names, protesting against an increase in the number of places where liquor is sold. Police Magistrate McIntosh combatted the arguments of the clergymen. The issue thus raised is expected to make municipal politics lively in the future.

R. H. Lyons on Saturday finished corralling the horses belonging to Ed. James, an inmate of New Westminster asylum. They had been ranging near Sugar Loaf, and were very wild, so that the task was no light one. The horses are advertised for sale.

At the Presbytery meeting on Wednesday evening D. H. Campbell was ordained an elder of the Kamloops Presbyterian church.

The contract for the Provincial Home for Aged Persons has been awarded to Mr. Murdock McLeod, of Vancouver, for $25,000. Work will start as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

Mrs. Barrett, evangelist, arrived Wednesday night from New York, where she has been holding revival services, and spent Thursday in Kamloops. She left on Thursday night for Ashcroft.

A QUESTION OF PRUNES.

TO THE EDITOR:—In your issue of March 2 we read in the report of the Cowichan and Salt Spring Agricultural Society, at Duncan, February 26, an address made by Mr. E. Hutcherson. As he touched on a subject, in part of his address, of personal interest to us, we ask space in your valuable journal to reply to him, and thereby remove the wrong impressions that would-be authority on fruits may have created. Mr. Hutcherson is quoted as making this assertion, viz: "The Tennant prune is a poor cropper and very uncertain bearer." We are at a loss to know on what authority, if any, is based the above statement, for any one who has ever been in the section of the country where the original Tennant tree grew, and became acquainted with its bearing qualities, will testify to this statement: The Tennant tree has borne a full crop of fruit each successive year for twenty-one years, bearing from 400 to 1,000 pounds, and even last season, when fruit was a general failure in that district, the Tennant tree had a fair crop. Now, these are facts, and we are prepared to produce the proofs.

Notwithstanding that Mr. Hutcherson's assertions are intentionally damaging to us, and apparently for a selfish motive (he being a nurseryman and not having the Tennant trees for sale) we are somewhat gratified by his admittance of such a fruit as the Tennant prune, for only two years ago, when we first introduced the fruit, he and his agents endeavored to combine to make our customers believe there was no such fruit, and continued to do so until we placed the fruit on exhibition at your society fairs during the fall of 1892. Were it not for Mr. Hutcherson's evident selfish motive we would attribute his idea of the Tennant prune to his ignorance of fruits, for in the same paper he recommends the Bulgarian prune to planters, a fruit any pomologist will tell you is not considered among the prunes of commerce. We have trespassed, Mr. Editor, upon considerable space in your paper, but trust you will bear with us. We are

Very truly yours,
MCGILL & MCDONALD.

Salem, Oregon, March 13, 1894.

COST OF CITY LIGHTING—TWO MILLION DOLLARS FOR FIFTY YEARS.

TO THE EDITOR:—Starting with a borrowed capital of $55,000 we use it as follows, viz: Poles, wire and lamps, $15,000; engines, boilers and dynamo, $30,000; real estate, $10,000, and our borrowed capital is invested. At the end of ten years we find that our poles, wire and lamps require to be renewed. We do so, cost another $15,000; at the end of twenty years we find we must renew again at a cost of $15,000 more. We find we must pay $7,500 interest on our first renewal; at the end of thirty years we must renew again; another $15,000 for renewal with interest on our first renewal for twenty years and on our second renewal for ten years; until, at the end of forty years, we find that we have renewed our pole line and have paid for such renewals (with interest at 5 per cent. per annum, compounded) the sum of $125,000.

Let us go back and look at our machinery—we find that at the end of twenty years our machinery is worn out and must be renewed at a cost of $30,000; at the end of forty years it is again worn out and must be renewed at a cost of $30,000; and we must charge thirty years' interest on first renewal and ten years' interest on second renewal; and at the end of fifty years we find we have paid for renewals of machinery and interest on such renewals (at 5 per cent. per annum compounded) a sum of $105,000; making a total sum expended of $55,000, $125,000, $105,000 = $285,000, and we have been paying $2,750 interest per annum on our borrowed capital which interest being compounded at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, amounts to something over $500,000; therefore at the end of fifty years we find that we have spent $785,000 for machinery and borrowed capital; and have as assets a worn out pole line that must be again renewed; our lamps are useless, our renewed machinery is ten years old and half worn out; it is true we have a little real estate; but if we go to the water front and build a wharf we will have to renew it several times during the fifty years.

Let us see what it will cost to operate our plant for fifty years: Wages, as published in the COLONIST, at $4,372 50 per year. With another hundred lamps we must have two more lamp trimmers, $1,080 per year; and as we have 200 lamps to keep in repair we will find it necessary to have a first-class lamp repairer, for whose services we will have to pay at least $1,200 per year; our yearly bill for oil, waste and repairs to plant will amount to $1,200 more; and as we have a large amount of line to keep up the services of linemen will cost us, say, $1,800 per year; our fuel will cost us some $5,500 and incidentals say about $1,000, a total for operating of $16,152 50;—or suppose we run exceedingly close at $16,000, per annum. We find that at the end of the second year we have paid $32,000 for operating and are out one year's interest on $16,000, and if we follow out our 5 per cent. interest, compounded, and treat the $16,000 as a yearly principal for fifty years, we discover that we have paid the sum of $1,720,100 for operating our machinery, and by adding this to the amount we have paid for poles, wire, lamps, machinery, etc., we find that during fifty years we have paid for lighting our streets with two hundred lamps the enormous sum of two million five thousand and one hundred dollars.

In conclusion, I will state that I have the assurance from the Tramway company that before another year they will have the whole of their plant located at Goldstream, where they will utilize that enormous water-power in furnishing the citizens of Victoria with power, heat and light at such a low cost per horse-power per annum that they are confident that the steam engines and boilers will be thrown into the scrap heap, and the electric motors will take their place in driving the numerous factories in this city, and our buildings heated and our cooking done by the aid of the electric current.

"POWER."

Heartless Sailors.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 19.—A boat containing Peter Thornbery, Mrs. John Martin, her six-year-old daughter, and Mrs. Nellie McCarthy, capsized on the bay yesterday. Thornbery rescued the others and placed them on the bottom of the boat, to which they clung for half an hour. The crew of the ship Manydown, which was close by, made no attempt to save them. The women and child were washed off one by one and sank. Thornbery was finally rescued, almost dead from exhaustion, by a passing fisherman's boat.

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GENTLEMEN,—With much pleasure I add my testimony to your valuable Marvellous Rheumatic Cure. For three months I suffered terrible pain. Could not move only by the aid of two sticks. I have only taken two bottles of the medicine and two of the liniment, and I can now go without sticks, and hope after the third bottle to go to work.

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DRESS AND MANTLE MAKING—Mrs. Marshall has removed to 91 View street, between Blanchard and Quadra streets, where all who require dress and mantle making can have their garments made in the most fashionable style, and perfectly fitted. dec1-tf

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ED. LINES, General Scavenger, 236 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Geo. Munro, 32 Douglas street; Speed Bros., cor. Douglas and Fort; or Blair & Gordon, cor. Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to. de3

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All orders telephoned or left at above addresses will be promptly attended to. mr15-1m

MEETINGS.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R.—Regular Communication first Thursday each month at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets, at 7:30 p. m. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Court Cariboo, No. 743, meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in St. George's Hall, cor. Government and Bastion sts. Visiting brethren welcome. R. Douglas, C. R., A. L. Campbell, R. S. oc15

"ST. ANDREW & CALEDONIAN SOCIETY." Society meets in Caledonia Hall, Blanchard street, on the first Friday in every month. Visiting brethren are invited to attend. E. C. Smith, Secretary. my4-1m

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 525 and Part of Lot 237, Victoria City

Whereas the certificate of title of Robert Wallace, James Bissett, James Burnes and Alexander Munro to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 21st day of May, 1868, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate.

Notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued, unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, March 2, 1894. mh3-1m

THOMAS HOOPER,
ARCHITECT.
Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government Street

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Fourth Session of the Sixth Parliament.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY.

MONDAY, March 19, 1894.

The Speaker took the chair at 11 o'clock.

MR. MARTIN moved for returns containing the report of Messrs. Keefer & Smith, C.E.'s, regarding the proposed bridge at Kamloops; and the reports of the government inspector of coal measures in the Nicola country.

Motions agreed to.

LEGISLATIVE LIBRARY BILL.

On consideration of the report from committee on the bill respecting the legislative library and bureau of statistics, Hon. Mr. Beaven moved to strike out the clause making it obligatory on municipalities and school boards and all public institutions to send in returns when requested.

Motion lost on division.

PLACER MINING ACT.

HON. COL. BAKER moved the adoption of the report from committee on the bill to amend the placer mining act, 1891.

Motion agreed to.

CARIBOO RAILWAY.

DR. WATT moved the third reading of the Cariboo railway bill.

Bill read a third time and passed.

BRUNETTE SAWMILL.

MR HORNE moved the third reading of the bill respecting the Brunette sawmill company.

Bill read a third time and passed.

CHILLIWACK DRAINAGE.

MR KITCHEN moved the adoption of the report from committee of the whole on the Chilliwack drainage bill.

Motion agreed to.

HALL MINES BILL.

The house again went into committee on the Hall mines bill, Mr. Rogers in the chair.

MR. SWORD raised the point that the bill and the petition for it do not agree with the advertisement published in the official gazette.

HON. MR. BEAVEN moved that the committee rise and report to the Speaker to that effect, which was done.

HORSEFLY HYDRAULIC MINING CO.

MR HUNTER, the order for the second reading of the Horsefly hydraulic mining company's bill being called, said he thought the Premier had something to say on the subject.

HON. MR DAVIE said the government could not agree to this bill and the similar one also before the house, in their present shape, and as they would be nugatory without the assent of the government he had advised the promoter to withdraw them. If this is done the government will introduce this session a bill already drawn giving the companies such powers as they ought to have, but not the too extensive franchise asked for.

The bill was, after discussion, allowed to stand over in the meantime.

GAME PROTECTION.

MR. MARTIN moved the second reading of the bill to amend the game protection act. He explained the exception made in the case of Cassiar in the matter of the export of deerskins, pointing out that as already shown by Mr. Hall it is impossible to prevent persons taking the skins across the boundary into Alaska and exporting them from there, and the only effect of the law is to prevent exportation by responsible firms while irresponsible persons carry on a large trade.

Bill read a second time, on division, after discussion.

LINE FENCES AND WATER COURSES.

MR. KITCHEN moved the second reading of the bill respecting line fences and watercourses, the object of which he said is simply to extend the provisions of the line fences act so that they shall apply to watercourses.

Bill read a second time.

HOMESTEAD ACT.

MR. KITCHEN moved the second reading of a bill to amend the homestead act, and providing that the personal property of a debtor to the amount of five hundred dollars shall be exempt from seizure for debt, except for a debt contracted in respect of such identical goods or chattels.

HON. MR. DAVIE said he did not like the way in which the bill is drawn, but being in favor of the principle he would not oppose the second reading.

Bill read a second time.

At 1 o'clock the house rose until 2:30 p m.

Afternoon Session.

THE SPEAKER said, with reference to the Hall mines bill, he had examined the notice given, which he found very short, and he considered that the bill did ask for greater powers than there mentioned. He suggested that it be referred back to the private bills committee for such amendment as would make it in order.

This bill, and also the bill respecting the Consolidated electric railway and light company, found some days ago to be similarly irregular, were thereupon referred back to the private bills committee.

FIRE COMPANIES' AID.

MR CROFT moved the second reasing of the bill to amend the fire companies' aid act so as to provide that there shall be payable to the municipal corporation the annual sum of not exceeding $100 by each fire insurance company doing business in Victoria, in addition to the rates levied upon agents.

HON. MR. BEAVEN raised the point that the act proposed to be amended had been passed as a private bill, and had been amended as a private bill, and could not now be amended in this way.

THE SPEAKER said the point was well taken, it not being in order for a private member to amend a private act without following the procedure laid down for private bills.

FRASER RIVER BRIDGE

HON. MR. DAVIE presented a message from His Honor the Lieutenant Governor transmitting a bill to aid the construction of a railway and highway traffic bridge across the Fraser river at New Westminster.

Ordered, that the message be taken into consideration to-morrow.

SUCCESSION DUTIES.

HON. MR DAVIE moved that the house go into committee of the whole to take into consideration the bill intituled "An act to provide for the payment of succession duties in certain cases."

HON. MR BEAVEN proceeded to argue the point of order already several times taken in similar instances, that such bills should originate by resolution in committee of the whole.

In committee, Mr. Croft in the chair, it was stated by Hon. Mr. Davie to be the intention of the Finance Minister, at the proper time, to move several reductions in the duties proposed to be charged.

Bill reported and read a first time.

LAND ACT.

HON. MR. VERNON asked leave to introduce a bill to amend the land act.

Bill read a first time.

B. C. RAILWAY ACT.

The report from committee on the bill to amend the B. C. railway act was further considered, and adopted with amendments by Mr. Hunter.

REDISTRIBUTION BILL.

The report from committee on the redistribution bill was further considered, several verbal amendments being made.

HON. MR DAVIE moved that section 6 of the election regulation act 1889 be repealed and the following substituted therefor:

"6. At the final count the returning officer shall examine ballots rejected by the several presiding officers and shall scrutinize the marked copies of the register of voters received from the several deputy returning officers for the purpose of ascertaining whether any person has voted more than once, and the decision of the returning officer at the final count as to any question arising in respect of any ballot paper shall be final, subject to reversal on petition questioning the election on return."

Motion agreed to.

An amendment by Mr. Brown providing that no liquor shall be sold on polling day in any electoral district, also was agreed to.

The report as amended was adopted, the bill being set for third reading to-morrow.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES.

HON. MR TURNER presented a message from His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor transmitting further supplementary estimates for the year ending June 30, 1894, and supplementary estimates for the year ending June 30, 1895.

Referred to committee of supply for to-morrow.

EASTER VACATION.

HON. MR. DAVIE said it appeared from the state of the order paper that it would be impossible to complete the business of the session before Good Friday, and he therefore asked what was the desire of the house with respect to adjournment over the holidays.

MR KITCHEN suggested adjournment from Wednesday to Tuesday.

MR. SMITH thought that in the interest of those who cannot go home the adjournment should be from Thursday to Tuesday.

MR. BROWN said probably time would be saved in the end by giving the government plenty of time to look through all the bills, for it was evident that they had not had the necessary time lately.

HON. MR DAVIE said he thought Mr. Kitchen's suggestion the best.

COUNTY COURTS ACT.

The report from committee on the county courts act amendment bill was further considered and an amendment was agreed to.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

On consideration of the report on the bill respecting the department of agriculture, Hon. Mr. Beaven moved to strike out section 9, which provides that any person must promptly answer any questions put to him by the department respecting his argricultural pursuits.

HON. MR. TURNER spoke in support of the section, which he thought a necessary one, which could not do any harm as none but proper questions would be asked.

Amendment lost on division.

Report adopted and bill read a third time and passed.

B. C. SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the bill relating to the B. C. Southern railway, adapting the provisions of the land act to the provisions of the amending act respecting the railway passed this session.

Motion agreed to.

NELSON & FORT SHEPPARD RAILWAY.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the bill respecting the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway. It is to provide additional time for the construction of the spur to run back into Nelson.

Bill read a second time.

COMPANIES ACT.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the companies act amendment bill. The object of this is to carry out the intention of the act of 1890, which is found to be ambiguous, and to provide that the borrowing powers may be exercised with the consent of two-thirds in value of the stock issued and not of the whole stock authorized.

CASSIAR EXPLORATION.

MR GRANT, as a matter of privilege, expressed regret that in the supplementary estimates just submitted provision had not been made for further explorations in the northern part of Cassiar, with a view to giving better facilities for getting goods into that country.

HON. MR. VERNON said the member representing that district had been giving attention to the matter, and seemed to think the sum in the estimates sufficient for the year.

The house adjourned at 5:50 p.m., until 2 p.m. the following day.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

MR. CROFT—On Wednesday: That bill No. 57, intituled "An act for the better protection of bottlers and manufacturers of beverages," be placed on the orders for second reading to-morrow.

QUESTION TO BE PUT.

By MR KELLIE—Who furnished the information on which N. Fitzstubbs, gold commissioner for West Kootenay district, based that part of his annual report to the Honorable Minister of Mines, dated 1st January, 1894, which refers to the northern portion of said district?

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Vancouver Island.

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F. G. VERNON,
Gold Commissioner.
Victoria, B.C., 6th December, 1893. fe10-td

"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has named the

1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1894,

in lieu of the 1st day of January, 1894, as the date upon which "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," shall come into force.

JAMES RAKER,
Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Office,
20th December, 1893. fe10-td

Re George Steitz Deceased.

All creditors and other persons having claims against George Steitz, late of the city of Victoria, deceased, who died on the 23rd February, 1894, and probate of whose will was granted to the executors thereof on the 1st March 1894, are hereby required to send by post prepaid to Jean Pierre Pelletier, of 114 Fisgard street, Victoria, one of the executors, their names, and particulars of their claim, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, on or before the 12th April, 1894, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the Testator, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

All persons indebted to the said Testator are required to pay their debts forthwith.

DAVIE, POOLEY & LUXTON,
Solicitors for the Executors.
Victoria, B.C., March 6, 1894. mr6-ap12.

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A LIBERAL'S OPINION.

The Hon. Joseph Royal does not get much encouragement in his efforts to make Canadians discontented with their condition as colonists and to sow dissension between men of different races and creeds, from the Liberals. The mention which the Ottawa Free Press makes of him and his brochure is not by any means complimentary. It says: "Canada has never produced a more arrant humbug or a more selfish or unprincipled schemer than Joseph Royal, and his appearance as an advocate of Canadian independence as a means of remedying French Canadian grievances will only bring him further into contempt." This may not be just to Mr. Royal, but it proves clearly enough that his advocacy of independence is not pleasing to some of the Liberals of the Dominion.

COLLAPSED.

The English Radicals who, when Lord Rosebery was appointed Premier, were so indignant, and who protested so loudly against submitting to the leadership of a lord, collapsed with wonderful rapidity, and quietly and submissively fell into line. Harold Frederic, the very clever London correspondent of the New York Times, thus comments on the sudden change of attitude:

This small knot of new leaders have next to nothing to fear from organized antagonism by English Radicals. Ten days ago I wrote a dispatch describing the situation as it stood a few hours after Gladstone finally declared he was going to resign. I wrote it at a table within sound of the voices of a score of Radical members who were confident they could speak for twice as many colleagues, all vying one with another in the passionate desire to show their resentment at a peer having been forced upon them as Premier. To hear them talk you would have thought that the Rosebery Ministry could not survive the first day of the new session. To-day you would look for these bold gentlemen in vain. One may count on the fingers of a hand all that remain who dare express an even qualified dissent.

The cracking of the party whip has a wonderful influence over the ordinary Radical. He knows that his standing in the party and his chances of political preferment depend upon obedience to the commands of his leader, and it is astonishing how quickly he cools down when he finds that the leader is determined to follow the course he has marked out, no matter what he and a few other growlers may say or do.

THE BRITISH DEFICIT.

A great ado was made a few months ago on account of the apprehended British deficit. Alarmist telegrams were sent over the cable informing us that Great Britain was in great financial straits—on the verge of bankruptcy, in fact. There were newspapers in the Dominion who did what they could to spread the bad news and create a feeling of uneasiness on this side of the Atlantic. The deficit was expected to be ten millions of dollars, and more fuss was made about it than is made about the United States deficit of five times the amount. It is pleasant to find that the apprehensions of the alarmists were groundless. Trade has revived in Great Britain, and the deficit will not be half of ten millions. It has been reduced to $3,800,000—£750,000. The Chancellor of the Exchequer in making out his estimates last year calculated upon a small deficit, so at the end of the fiscal year, April 1, he will not find himself so very far behind hand after all. The revival of trade in Great Britain since the beginning of the year is most cheering, and it is likely to continue.

ACCUMULATIONS OF CAPITAL.

Although times are getting better in some countries and business shows signs of revival capital is still timid. There is no want of money in the great business centres of the world, but there is still a want of that confidence which is necessary to cause money to circulate readily. The New York Evening Post publishes some statistics which show that the accumulation of idle money is a fact as general as the depression of trade. It observes that the supply of coin of the Bank of England has increased, since the beginning of the year, $26,000,000, that of the Bank of Germany $18,500,000, and that of the Bank of France $5,000,000. Up to the first of February the New York city banks had gained $42,000,000; and although $46,000,000 were paid out there for the Government bond subscription, the bank statement still shows a greater reserve than it did at the close of December.

The consequence of these great accumulations of capital is that the rate of interest is low. But in spite of the low interest borrowers of the right sort are few. Enterprise seems to be almost as timid as capital. No one appears to be yet sure in the United States that the depression has reached its lowest point. The uncertainty with respect to tariff legislation and distrust as to the effect of the currency measures of Congress have evidently had the effect of prolonging the depression. The anomalies of the crisis still continue in the United States. The necessaries of life are abundant and cheap, money is plenty and the rate of interest is low, yet business continues very dull and thousands upon thousands of the working class are suffering for want of employment.

ONE OF THE NECESSITIES.

One of the great needs of the day in every civilized country is education in politics. Many branches of knowledge are taught in schools and colleges which have little or no direct bearing on the business of life and the well-being of the commonwealth, but instruction in political science, which is required by every man who exercises the rights and privileges of a citizen, and which is absolutely necessary to the good government and the prosperity of a country, is altogether neglected. Not only this, but politics—"the science of government: that part of ethics which has to do with the legislation and government of a nation or state, the preservation of its safety, peace and prosperity, the defence of its existence and rights against foreign control or conquest, the augmentation of its strength and resources, and the protection of its citizens in their rights, with the preservation and improvement of their morals"— is ostentatiously contemned by persons who call themselves scholars, and who wish to be looked upon by their fellow citizens as possessing superior intelligence. This is a most serious mistake, and one which has produced and is producing, in this and other countries, the most deplorable consequences. In States possessing popular constitutions, citizens are called upon to choose the men who are to direct the affairs of the country. How can they do this intelligently, and for their own good, unless they possess some knowledge of the principles of politics, as defined above? How are they to distinguish wise measures from unwise measures, sound social and economical theories from unsound ones, those that are beneficial from those that are pernicious, unless they have some pre-knowledge on which to base an opinion. Knowledge of politics does not come by intuition any more than knowledge of agriculture or navigation.

Any one who reads the newspapers of the day at all intelligently must see how necessary it is for the average voter to have some knowledge of what has been found to be most conducive to the welfare of States. In every country political doctrines are being taught by self-constituted teachers which, if adopted and reduced to practice, will effect the most serious changes in the government of nations and even in the constitution of society itself. We find these preachers of strange doctrines making converts, and these converts are, by their votes, elevating to power men who are pledged to do their best to have their principles embodied in the laws of the land. In our own country we find men who are endeavoring to persuade their fellow-citizens that the welfare of the people will be promoted by proscribing persons who differ from them in religious belief. And, strange as it may appear, these sowers of religious discord have succeeded in making converts and in forming an organization which counts its members by the thousand. Then the leading question before the people, Free Trade and Protection, requires for its intelligent discussion a knowledge of the principles of a science the nature and scope of which are not understood even by men who are said to be educated. We find presented to the people in these days socialism in its different forms. The relations between capital and labor are the theme of discussion in our Legislature, on the public platform and in private circles. It is of the first importance that the electors, Tom, Dick and Harry, should be in a position to come to correct and rational conclusions on these subjects. The future welfare of our own and every other country depends upon the decisions they arrive at and the action they take. These and other questions are to-day mooted in all civilized communities. One has only to read the platforms of the different parties, the constitutions of political associations, and the resolutions carried at public meetings to see how important it is that the men who vote should receive the elements, at least, of a sound political education. If they are not instructed they are liable to become the dupes of political quacks and the victims of political schemers.

It may be said that the political education of nations is continually going on and that they are learning by experience—often very dearly bought. So they are, and the price they sometimes pay for their experience is terrible to contemplate. The blunders that communities and classes make while learning the lesson of experience are costly in the extreme. Instruction imparted by the right persons at the right time would prevent many of those blunders and save the people great loss and much suffering.

MR. STEAD'S CONCLUSIONS.

Mr. Stead has given to the world the result of his observations in Chicago. They are not complimentary. He saw much to condemn in the condition of that great city—social, moral and municipal—and his criticisms are couched in very plain English. He was struck, too, by the want of elasticity in the institutions of the United States and the little influence which the people exercise over its Government. This is part of what he said on this subject:

Outside of Russia this (the United States) is the most monarchical country in the world. It is governed by a dead hand in the form of a constitution which is nothing more or less than George the Third of England. Why, in England we have only one real power—the House of Commons. Here you have three—the President, Senate and House of Representatives. Here you have no means of legislating if one of your three powers proves obstreperous. Russia is the only country where the people have less power than here. In England if the people vote for something they get it. Here they must do it two or three times before you believe they mean it.

There is a great deal of truth in this. Nearly seventeen months ago the people of the United States signified a second time by a large majority that they did not approve of high protection, and that they wanted the tariff revised. That revision has not yet been made, and it does not appear just at this moment as if it would be made. Three years ago last November the American people signified the same desire at the polls, but their well understood wishes were ignored by the President and the Senate. At the presidential election they expressed the same desire in a more emphatic way. There have been two sessions of Congress since then, and the third is now going on. Yet the mandate of the people has not been obeyed. In England or in Canada the change which the people demanded would have been made as soon as possible after the election of 1890. The majority in the House of Representatives would have carried all before it and the people would have been spared the doubt and uncertainty which has been productive of so much harm. There can be no doubt that Mr. Stead is right in the estimate he has made of the influence which the people of the United States exercise over the legislation of their country. Their will can be thwarted with impunity by a self-willed President, and by a mercenary and factious party in the Senate.

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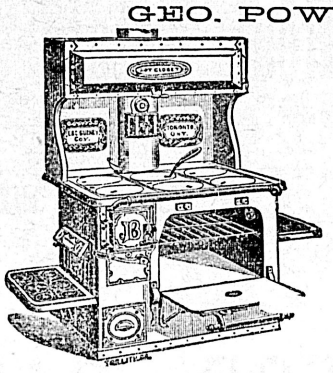

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is a Crown grant calling for 484 acres, nearly the whole of which is bottom land. The Victoria and Nanaimo wagon road passes through the property. The Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway is easily accessible from either end of the property, and at Raymond's Siding it is less than three-fourths of a mile to the place, while at the wagon road crossing it is even a less distance from the other end.

About 70 acres have been under fence, and the greater part of that has been cropped. Upwards of 40 head of cattle have been kept on the property.

There is a large meadow, with only small brush, which has never been drained or touched, containing nearly 100 acres, and as the Koksilah river is the boundary line of most of the property on one side, and the ground lies from 200 to 300 feet above the river, the land can be thoroughly drained at comparatively light cost.

Hyde Farm is a magnificent pasture, as grass seed was sown years ago wherever there seemed to be a chance of its taking root, and cattle feed on the unenclosed property (as well now as the fields) coming from all directions to it the year round.

There is plenty of water on the farm, though the ground is perfectly dry in the summer; there is no lack of water for stock.

The property has a good bed of brick clay, a small water power available during the winter months, and unlimited water power could be taken from the falls of the Koksilah river at one corner of the property, for any purpose, at all seasons. Lime rock abuts on the property and a lime kiln is in operation on the adjoining claim.

There has been found underlying one portion of the property bog iron ore, which, when Texada iron ore comes to be smelted in the province, is a valuable supplementary ore to mix with that from Texada.

There is plenty of timber on the property for all purposes, some being good merchantable timber and easily drawn to the railroad, or run down the Koksilah River when that river shall have become cleared for lumbering.

Attention might be called to the fact that the title to this property is *Crown Grant*, a far better title than that subsequently given to holders under the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway grant, and as coal has been found in small quantities not far from this property, it might at some time become valuable from that reason.

Hyde Farm can be fenced from three sides, as the Koksilah River banks (the boundary) being so high and steep, there are but few places where a stray animal could wander upon or from the place.

For an extensive dairy and cattle farm and for mixed farming, there are few places that would excel this after a judicious expenditure of money and with light clearings.

For price and terms of this magnificent property, or for further particulars, address "Hyde Farm," Colonist Office.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that by deed dated the 2nd day of March, 1894, and executed by all parties thereto on that date, Theophila Turner Green and Frederick Hammett Worlock, both of the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, carrying on business under the firm name of Green, Worlock & Co., at the said City of Victoria, as Bankers, assigned all their real and personal property (save as in the said deed of assignment mentioned) as members of the said firm and individually, to John Coltart, clerk; Henry Frederick Heisterman, real estate agent, and James Stuart Yates, barrister-at-law, all of the said City of Victoria, in trust for their creditors.

All persons indebted to the said firm, or any member of it individually, are required to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the said assignees, and every person having any claim against the said firm, or any member thereof, is to send such claim, with full particulars, to the said assignees within three months from this date, after which date the said assignees will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to such claims as may have been sent in.

A meeting of creditors will be called as soon as a statement can be prepared.

Dated this 2nd March, 1894.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Assignees above-named.
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AUCTION SALES.

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THE CITY.

THERE was not a single case before the magistrate in the Police court yesterday.

THE funeral of the late James William Bland takes place to-morrow at 2.30 p.m., from his late residence at Victoria West.

CALL at the office of this paper and inspect Parts No. 1 and 2 of the "Masterpieces of the Art Galleries of the World." Those who admire works of art will appreciate these two portfolios.

THE Knights of Pythias, per G. S. Russell, handed the handsome sum of $222 to the treasurer of the B. C. Benevolent society yesterday, for which the society are particularly thankful at the present time.

AN order amending the endorsement on the writ of summons, and also staying proceedings until an action now pending in Washington has been decided, was made yesterday in the case of Denny and another v. Prefontaine.

THERE will be service each evening this week at St. Luke's, Mount Tolmie, with the usual services on Friday morning and evening. The "Story of the Cross" will be sung each time, and a special service is being prepared for Easter Sunday.

PEDESTRIANS who have to use Hillside avenue find the sidewalk which extends now almost to the Jewish cemetery hill, a great boon. By the end of this week the work will be completed, making a continuous walk from the fountain to the Cedar Hill road.

SUPERINTENDENT HUSSEY, of the Provincial police, returned on Sunday from Nanaimo where he had been in connection with the dynamite outrage. The reward is being printed on handbills in French, Italian and German as well as English, which will be distributed among the miners, some of whom are foreigners, in hopes that the offer may assist in securing information of the guilty persons.

PERCY BUCK, R. A., nephew of W. Edgar Buck of this city, has just graduated from Peterhouse, College, Cambridge, Eng., as a Mus. Doc. This young gentleman is believed to be the youngest musical doctor on record, being but 22 years of age. Sir Arthur Sullivan and Sir Villiers Stanford speak of him as one of the coming composers. Mr. Buck has been appointed resident organist of Worcester College, Oxford.

A NUMBER of sympathising friends attended the funeral, yesterday, of Mary Eleanor, the little 8-year-old daughter of W. Starmer Smith. The funeral services were conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. MacRae, assisted by Rev. Thos. Baldwin, and Rev. D. W. Barber was also present. Six little girls, pupils of the Victoria West school, where the dead child hhd been their schoolmate, bore the coffin of their little friend. The services were simple and affecting. The interment took place at the cemetery afterwards.

ON opening his establishment yesterday morning, Peter Brown, who runs a fish shop on Johnson street, discovered that he was $25 poorer than he expected. A broken window in the rear shop and an empty tobacco box in which had been the money, told very plainly how the thing was done. The matter was reported to the police, but Mr. Brown, having his own suspicions, taxed an old man to whom he had shown many kindnesses with the offence. Contrition and the restitution of the money followed and the owner satisfied at the recovery of his property was content to allow the matter to drop, but the police having taken the case up will not be so easily satisfied of it and an arrest is likely to be made.

THE three Indians who were brought down from Alert Bay a few days ago, suspected of having something to do with the Savary Island massacre, will be sent home again by the Danube to-day. It seems that the magistrate at Alert Bay never sent a warrant down with the prisoners, consequently the provincial authorities could not hold them in custody, and have simply been looking after them till they could be returned home. The officer who brought the Indians to Victoria is not to blame in the matter, as he happened to be on the steamer when she called at Alert Bay, and the prisoners were handed over to his keeping by the local constable. Even if there was a warrant, there was not sufficient evidence to justify the authorities here in keeping the Indians in custody.

IN the Divisional court yesterday, before Drake and Crease, J. J., an appeal was heard, brought on by James Seely from an order of Mr. Justice Walkem directing him to furnish costs in $100 for a case now pending. The grounds of the appeal are that Mr. Justice Drake made an order settling a certain conveyance. Plaintiff took out a summons for an order that the defendant furnish security for costs, and it came on before Judge Drake in Chambers, who, however, declined to hear it, as it was an appeal from his own order. Mr. Seely left the Chamber court for the purpose of obtaining a book, and in the interim which elapsed before his return, the opposite parties applied to Judge Walkem and obtained the order for security. The Divisional court dismissed the appeal with costs. Mr. Taylor for appellant and Mr. B. H. T. Drake for respondent.

The Board of Management of the Maternity Home thankfully acknowledge the following donations during the month of February: H. Saunders, groceries, $5; Brown Bros., groceries, $5; Erskine & Wall, groceries, $3 15; D. Ross, one bottle brandy; B. C. Cattle Co., meat; Hall & Goepel, one ton coal; D. Spencer, rubber sheeting; G. Morrison, hot water bottle; Langley & Co., hot water bottle; T. Shotbolt, two nursing bottles, one tin vaseline, one box zinc ointment, three cakes best soap, carbolic soap, one bottle carbolic acid; Campbell & Co., one box baby soap and powder; Jackson (druggist) one bottle bay rum; Cochrane & Munn, two sponges and puff box; C. Jones, one dozen soap; Mrs. Hickey, condensed milk; Mrs. McKilligan, butter, jam and jelly; Mrs. Flumerfelt, towels; Mrs. Worlock, table-cloths and table-napkins; Mrs. Earle, chicken and linen; Small & Pidduck, tea and coffee.

A FULL rehearsal of the "Messiah" will be held this evening in the church. From the progress already made, as evidenced by the smoothness characterizing the rendition of the various choruses, it is manifest that the beauty of this masterpiece of the genius Handel will be exhibited to advantage by the aid of the powerful church organ, on Thursday evening next, and that all who attend the concert then will be the recipients of a genuine treat.

THE Northwestern Athlete is the name of a new publication which has made its appearance at Tacoma, and is devoted exclusively to the interests of athletes. It contains a deal of matter interesting to Victoria and British Columbia, among the articles being one explaining the game of lacrosse. The idea for the present is to publish the paper monthly, but ultimately a weekly edition is intended. A. N. Brown is the editor, and Max K. Heap manager.

MAYOR TEAGUE will occupy the chair at the concert to be given at Victoria West tomorrow evening under the auspices of the Methodist church. The following are the names of those who will take part in the programme: Messrs. J. G. Brown, Fred. Richardson, G. F. Watson, H. Firth, Misses Humber, LePage, Chapman, Anderson, Penwill and Dunnington. These names, including as they do many of Victoria's favorites, indicate an excellent programme and a thoroughly enjoyable evening to all who attend. The concert will be held in Fairall's hall, Esquimalt road. The Esquimalt tramcars pass at the doors of the hall, so that visitors from the city need be at no inconvenience to reach the place of entertainment. The concert begins at 8 o'clock

ATTENTION is called to the entertainment which is to be given by the minstrel troupe in connection with the Y.P.A. of Central church to-morrow evening in the lecture hall of the church, Broad street, and which promises to be a grand success both from a musical and comical standpoint. The hall has been appropriately fixed up for the occasion, and the minstrels have been rehearsing nightly for the past month, so that no doubt a rousing entertainment and a crowded house will crown their efforts. The entertainment winds up with a roaring farce entitled "the black barber," which is guaranteed to keep the audience in a very merry humor throughout. There will be a final rehearsal this evening, when all arrangements will be completed.

A VERY handsome oil painting of Lieutenant Governor Dewdney is receiving its finishing touches at Government House, at the hands of the artist, Rene Quentin, whose reputation as a skilful portrait painter is well sustained by this, his latest work. The painting is life-size and the figure three quarter length, His Honor, dressed in his official uniform, is standing in front of a chair from which he may be supposed to have just risen. The poise of the head, expression, and the easy, natural attitude in which he stands are admirably handled. The deep red curtains that form the background, the gold lace on the uniform and the decoration of the chair, while giving richness of color to the general effect, are treated judiciously and harmoniously. The portrait is a work quite worthy of the artist by whom the well known picture of Speaker Ouimet in the House of Commons at Ottawa was painted.

JUDGMENT was given yesterday by His Lordship Mr. Justice Crease, deputy judge in Admiralty, on a point in Admiralty practice of considerable interest to practitioners in that court. The question arose in the case of R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., against the ship Barbara Boscowitz. This was an action for short delivery of a consignment of furs from the North, and in addition to pleading to the claim the defendant submitted that as a matter of law the Admiralty court had no jurisdiction in the premises, inasmuch as the owners of the defendant ship were resident within the jurisdiction of the court. This question was set down for argument before Mr. Justice Crease about a month or six weeks ago, and judgment was reserved. His Lordship delivered judgment, yesterday afternoon, holding that the court had no jurisdiction, and the action was consequently dismissed with costs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for the plaintiffs; Belyea & Gregory for the defendants.

The pace on the first part of "Masterpieces from the Art Galleries of the World" has been so great that we have had to order a new and much larger supply from the printers. We have still a few of the old lot left, and will hand them out as long as they last. One coupon, cut from the fourth page, and ten cents is all that is required for this first portfolio; for future numbers we will require three coupons. The special offer for this number is to give our readers a chance to help us and oblige their friends. If you can get them started this way we can keep them as readers, because they will want all the other parts. That is all we ask from you in return for this good work we are doing. Either send in your one coupon and ten cents, or get your friends to send in with you. Forward one coupon and ten cents for each; if by mail send 12 cents in stamps. As soon as this second lot of Part I is exhausted Coupon No. 1 will be withdrawn and the remaining parts of the series will put in hand. Secure the first part now, as once this supply is exhausted it will be impossible to complete the set.

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SCHOOL BOARD.

Request of High School Teachers to Affiliate With a University Endorsed.

The North Ward Boiler Rejected—Trustee Glover Takes His Seat.

The first thing done in the School Board meeting last evening was the reading of the result of Mr. Glover's election as trustee, and that gentleman then took his seat. Mr. Chas. Hayward presided, and the other trustees present were Messrs. Lovell, Marchant and Yates.

The petition from the Oakland estate people for a school, referred to the board by the City Council, was, on motion, ordered sent back to the City Council, with the answer that owing to the cutting down of the school estimates by the council the board could do nothing.

The Y. W. C. A. wanted a vacant room in the central for a lunch room, for supplying the children with hot lunch at cost. Granted.

W. Ridgway Wilson wrote suggesting that the rooms of the James Bay school should be kalsomined before the scaffolding is taken down. This could be done for $160, and would give better light. Referred to trustees Glover and Lovell to act.

A motion by Mr. Yates that the same committee see whether the time has not come to dispense with the superintendents of works, with power to act, was also agreed to.

D. Ross, late teacher in the Central branch school, wrote protesting against his dismissal, because of failing to give satisfaction, without a chance to defend himself. It was resolved to give him the desired opportunity.

On behalf of a deputation of the High school teachers, Principal Paul read the following:

HIGH SCHOOL, VICTORIA,
March 19, 1894.

GENTLEMEN:—We have heard with much interest that a deputation from Vancouver waited, on the 10th inst., on the hon. the Premier and the hon. the Minister of Education, having as i s object the incorporation of the Vancouver High school. with the view to its affiliation with some Eastern university. Such a scheme could not fail to be productive of much good to the Province generally and to Vancouver in particular. There are a large number of young men in this city and throughout the Province who would eagerly embrace such an opportunity of advancing their education, to whom the expense of living thousands of miles away from home renders, at present, such advancement impossible. These young men would gladly repair to Vancouver to finish their education when the end in view was a degree in Arts. Moreover, intending settlers would, other things being equal, prefer taking up their residence in Vancouver, where they could hope to secure a really first-class education for their children. Victoria High school would then become a feeder for the Vancouver High school, while the latter establishment would be gradually forming the nucleus of an independent university.

We are sure that you, gentlemen, representing the ratepayers of this city, will agree with us in thinking that Victoria ought not to allow herself to be surpassed in educational matters by Vancouver. Victoria has hitherto possessed the premier High school of the Province; but, should Vancouver be successful in attaining the very desirable object of affiliating her High school with McGill, or any other Canadian university, while Victoria remains contented with affairs as they are at present, it is beyond doubt that the Victoria High school would necessarily then take a second position. While confident that the interests of education in Victoria will not suffer in your hands, we yet feel it to be our duty to point out to you the consequences of not keeping pace with Vancouver in the matter in question, and to respectfully suggest that you endeavor to secure for Victoria the privilege claimed by Vancouver.

We understand that it was asserted by the Vancouver delegation that Vancouver was in a better position to undertake university work than Victoria, for the reason that they had a more efficient and better paid staff of teachers th n you have here. It may be that they are better paid, but we cannot see how that affects the question, unless we are to suppose that the zeal of teachers is in direct proportion to their remuneration. As to the greater efficiency of the Vancouver staff, we must recognize that the possession of five teachers for 121 pupils in actual attendance, as compared with Victoria's four teachers for 139 pupils in actual attendance, gives Vancouver an advantage. But the assertion made by the deputation of the individual superiority of their teachers requires the proof of results to render it of any value. Such a statement can only be confirmed or denied by the Department of Education, and we have been assured by the Superintendent that neither he nor his inspectors have ever instituted any comparison between the High schools of this province, and never permitted the principal of one High school to see the results of the semi annual examinations of another High school. We had no data for either affirming or denying the superiority of the Vancouver staff They claim to be "specialists," and so, no doubt, they are. But all that is meant by the phrase is that each of their teachers excels in one particular subject. We, with equal right, lay claim to the same designation, although it is found necessary, in Victoria H gh school, amid so many subjects, that each teacher should give instruction in several subjects besides his or her own specialty or pet subject. We beg to be pardoned for making such a long digression on this subject, but we think that to pass over unquestioned such a statement as that made by the deputation about the superiority of their teachers would be tantamount to asknowledging its truth.

Should the Victoria High school be affiliated with an Eas'ern university (and it would be important that Vancouver and Victoria should be affiliated with different Universities that pupils might have a choice) we beg to assure you that even with our present staff we are quite prepared to undertake the duties that would be then imposed upon us A scheme has been drawn up by the principal (the details of which would be out of place here) which will be submitted to you at a future period. We may state, however, that all the examinations for matriculation, etc., would be conducted by the affiliating university. The composition, number. or pay of the High school staff would, consequently, be of no interest to the University, which would only demand that the pupils reach a certain degree of efficiency to be judged by papers set and examined by its own professors, and entrusted, when in Victoria, to the charge of some responsible supervisor elected by the university.

In conclusion we respectfully beg you to be so good as to see that Vancouver High school receive from the Legislature no privileges that cannot also be granted to Victoria; to take into consideration the benefits that would accrue to the city and to the Province should a measure of university teaching be introduced into our High schools; and, should it appear good to you to do so, to request from the Legislature, by deputation to ministers or otherwise, incorporation for our High school so that by affiliation with some University, it may extend its sphere of usefulness, and maintain the position it has hitherto held among the High schools of the Province.

(Sd) EDWARD B. PAUL, M.A., Principal.
AGNES DEANS CAMERON,
ANGUS B. MCNEILL,
A. J. PINEO, B.A.

Trustee Marchant moved, seconded by Trustee Glover, that the board heartily endorses the suggestion made by the deputation with reference to affiliation of the high schools of the province with some one of the eastern universities, and that the government be requested to bring forward such legislation as may be necessary for that purpose. Carried.

It was decided to pay $45 a month to janitors of the North and South ward schools.

The "substituted boiler" committee presented a majority report recommending that the architect's advice be followed and the boiler rejected. After much discussion this motion prevailed and the contractor will be so notified.

The board then went into private session.

PERSONAL.

J. H. Smith, of Regina, is at the Oriental.

R. Marpole, of Kamloops, is at the Driard.

C. G. Major arrived from Westminster yesterday.

Rev. W. Baer arrived from the Mainland last evening.

T. E. Ladner was a passenger from Westminster yesterday.

Miss Dow, of New Westminster, is staying at the Oriental.

S. Reid has returned after spending Sunday on the Mainland.

Alex. Philip and son, of New Westminster, are at the Balmoral.

Dr. A. T. Watt returned from the East yesterday accompanied by his bride.

H. Plowman, of Macindray & Co., large tea importers, is staying at the Balmoral.

John White, ex-M.P., who has been visiting Belleville, Ont., returned home on Sunday evening.

J. MacIvor Campbell, D. McGillivray, and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Desbrisay, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

H. Dallas Helmcken left, overland, Sunday morning for California, where he will spend the Easter vacation.

Fred. B. Williams, late of the Times staff, left last evening for San Francisco, where he will devote himself to the study of medicine.

Jos. Mannon, of Bone Island, who has been visiting the Midwinter Fair, returned to Victoria on the steamer Queen on Sunday evening.

H. F. and Mrs. Barham, of Mount Tolmie, have gone to England on account of Mr. Barham's health, and will be away for about six months.

Dr. George Duncan is reported to be no better, and it will be learned with regret that his illness has taken the form of a severe attack of pneumonia.

Norman McLean, a Mainland dyking contractor, arrived down from Vancouver on the Premier on Sunday evening, and is a guest at the Balmoral.

A. W. Lundbaum, of New Westminster, was an arrival from San Francisco on the steamer Queen on Sunday evening. He had been South to see the Midwinter Fair.

The Windsor Hotel, Nanaimo. The Cuisine is excellent. 1m

SERGT. HAWTON takes a young girl from Victoria to the Westminster insane asylum this morning.

Voting to-day by property owners on Electric Light Loan By-Law.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home was held at the residence of Mrs. Kent, 180 Yates street, yesterday afternoon, when arrangements were made for a canvass for contributions, the suspension of Green, Worlock & Co. making a shortage in the funds.

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NOTICE.

Messrs. Brayshaw & Dalgarno have much pleasure in announcing that they have leased for a number of years the premises lately occupied by J. F. Beck & Co. and R. Ray, corner of Broughton and Gordon streets, Victoria, as carriage builders and horseshoers, and by strict attention to the trade in all its branches hope to secure a share of public patronage. Jobbing of every description turned out in first class style. Horses carefully and scientifically shod. All work guaranteed. jy22-3m

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

To Search for Survivors of the "Mary Brown"—Plans About the "Minnie."

The "Wrestler" Still on the Rock—Improvement in the Coasting Business.

A passenger who arrived on the steamer Queen, from San Francisco, on Sunday evening, was Mrs. Hazetter, who is a sister of James L. O'Brien, one of the crew of the lost schooner Mary Brown. She is on her way north to make a personal survey of the wreck lying on the northern beach of Bank's island, and reported as being identified as that of the Mary Brown. She will leave here for either Claxton or Essington on the steamer Danube to day, and thence she will proceed by means of an Indian canoe to the scene. Her desire is to satisfy herself that the wreck is the Mary Brown, and also as to whether any of the schooner's crew are yet alive.

VOYAGERS FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The names of the B.C. Rugby Football team swells the appended list of cabin passengers from Victoria which the steamship Umatilla had on leaving for San Francisco last evening: C. H. Woodward, F. C. Cummins, O. Graham, H. Alexander, H C Ackroyd, E E. Billinghurst, Miss M. E Wilson, C. P. McClusky and wife, W. A. McIntosh, C. McDonald, D. Day, E. A. C Gibson, W. H. Langley, G. L. Sidey, H. Pettigrew, M. Duffy, Wm. Edmunds, R. A. Whyte, S. P. Wells, Joseph Meen, James Meen, Mrs. J. W. Band and children, Miss E. Franck, Dr. Hanington and wife, F. B. Williams, J. C. Woodward, H. Dawson, E H Probert, F. B. McGauley, J. Lister, S. Webster, — Bamforth, J. H. Hacking, F. M. F. Black, F. Wilson, T. E. Taylor, H. R. Hiffel, Geo. Cruster, S. Webster and Chas. Amford.

COASTING IMPROVEMENT.

A San Francisco dispatch received yesterday says: Scarcity of sailors and the improvement in the coasting business are making themselves felt, and boarding house masters are extremely pleased over the situation. To-day a meeting of the boarding house masters will be held, and although the session is to be a secret one, it is quietly given out that the discussion will be on coasting business, and that the rate of wages will be established at $30 a month for coastwise voyages and $25 to the islands. The demand of coasters has shortened the supply of deep water men, and there will be an advance of $5 a month on American and British bottoms.

THE "WRESTLER."

A disappointment in the tides prevented the reported success of those endeavoring to release the barkentine Wrestler from the rock in Esquimalt harbor. It was expected she would have been off on Saturday night, but then, as yesterday, when the assistance of the tugs Mystery and Sadie were on hand for the proposed effort to tow her off, the water did not rise high enough to even warrant an attempt. There is very little water now in the hold of the Wrestler, and this and the probable leakage can, it is calculated, be easily pumped out.

THE "MINNIE'S" PLANS.

The sealing schooner Minnie will be immediately refitted for service if the Admiralty court approve of the price at which she was knocked down to Capt. Jacobsen. She will be brought around from Esquimalt to the inner harbor and there provisioned for a sealing cruise along the West Coast. Capt. Jacobsen will go in command of her.

THE "QUADRA."

The Dominion Government steamer Quadra entered the dry dock to receive her annual overhauling yesterday morning. She will, it is expected, be on the stocks for about three days, during which time the Albion Iron Works will have the opportunity of strengthening one of the steel plates on her bottom, dinted a few years ago when the vessel found a rock, and was not then attended to.

MARINE NOTES.

Captain James Gaudin, agent of marine, is in receipt of two fragments of the ill-fated Estelle, forwarded to him from Vancouver by the captain of the steamer Comox, who picked them up on his last trip to the North. From the appearance of these pieces no idea could be formed as to the cause of the wreck.

A cablegram received by the agents of the Canadian-Australian steamship line states that the Arawa sailed from Sydney on Saturday, being a day in advance of her regular sailing date, on account of the latter falling on Sunday.

The steamer Coquitlam was launched from Turpel's ways yesterday morning. She cleared for Nanaimo in the afternoon.

Tug Velos arrived in from Nanaimo with coal on Sunday evening.

ENTERED.

Str. Premier............	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston....	"	Port Townsend.
" Umatilla............	"	" "
" Princess Louise.....	"	N. Westminster.
" Queen.............	"	San Francisco.
" Garland............	"	Port Angeles.
" Spinster............	"	Sooke.
Sloop Champion	"	Sooke.

CLEARED.

Str. Premier...........	for	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston....	"	Port Townsend.
" Queen.............	"	" "
" Umatilla...........	"	San Francisco.
" Princess Louise.....	"	N. Westminster.
" Coquitlam	"	Nanaimo.
" Garland............	"	Port Angeles.

FROM THE SOUTH ATLANTIC.

A Literary Curiosity Published on an Island Not Far From the Straits of Magellan.

Mr. C. Stickney has forwarded to the COLONIST a copy of the Falkland Islands Magazine, No. 56, vol. v., a publication issued in one of several spots of land in the South Atlantic ocean about 300 miles E.S.E. of the Straits of Magellan. The first page and cover is illustrated with an engraving of Christ church cathedral. Then follow church announcements, with the record of ten births and three marriages, Rev. Edwin C. Aspinall, assistant colonial chaplain, (the dean being the Very Rev. Lowther E. Brandon) has an address on Christmas-time, followed by local announcements, natural history notes and shipping news, among the latter being the following:

"A ship's life-buoy, with 'Bombay Fleetwood' painted on it, was picked up in the northeast arm of Fox Bay. In East Bay, outside the narrows, the half of the top-gallant spar of an English ship was also picked up, and wreckage came ashore—portions of spars, etc.—about Port Stephens. Entangled round one spar was some canvas and a macintosh. All had been but a very short time in the water—not more than two or three weeks."

Mr. Stickney, in a note accompanying the Magazine, says: "I lived fifteen years in Fox Bay, West Falkland."

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STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

The Industrials Predominated in the Market—List of Gains and the Advances Made.

NEW YORK, March 19.—The industrials predominated in the stock market to-day. From the start these stocks were in brisk request, especially sugar and lead, and under comparative large buying orders scored good gains. Sugar was bought on Washington advices that the Senate would recommend the protection of ⅛ cent as well as a color test, which would favor the home refiners. Lead was taken by firms identified with inside interests. Chicago Gas was a notable exception, falling 1⅜ to 62⅞ on reports from Chicago that the Attorney-General would press the suits now pending against the company for the alleged violation of its charter. Later a rally to 64¼ took place. Whiskey first advanced to 26⅞, declined to 26¼, rose to 27 and 26⅞. It was then stated that the company had come to an agreement with its distributing agent. The officials are selecting proxies for the annual meeting which is to be held next month. The improvement in the industrials finally led to the purchase of railway stocks and a higher range of prices was established. The important gains were: Sugar, 2⅞ to 93⅞; lead, 1¼ to 35½; do. preferred, ⅞ to 79⅞; General Electric, 1⅜ to 43¼; Manhattan, ⅛ to 123½; Northern Pacific preferred, 1⅛ to 21; Burlington & Quincy, 1 to 77½; Big Four, ⅞ to 41⅞; New York Central, 1 to 100⅞. In the last hour of business a disposition to accept profits was manifested, resulting in a general decline of ¼ to 1¼ per cent., sugar leading. At this time New England and Cordage developed heaviness, the former declining, ⅛ to 10, the latter 2⅞ to 19. New England was lower on official statements that the company would require more money than at first supposed to put it in good shape. It was inferred from this that the assessment on the stock would be very heavy. Weak holders sold, and in the absence of support the stock rallied readily. The total sales were 178,512 shares. Closing bids: Atchison & Santa Fe, 15¼; Burlington & Quincy, 81½; Canada Southern, 50½; Canadian Pacific, 67⅞; Central Pacific, 14¼; Chicago, Cincinnati, Columbus & St. Louis, 41; Delaware & Lackawanna, 166½; Wells Fargo, 120; Great Northern, preferred, 102; Lake Shore, 127⅞; Louisville & Nashville, 49⅛; Missouri Pacific, 26⅞; New York Central, 100¼; New England, 10⅛; North American, 5⅜; Northern Pacific, 5⅞; Northern Pacific, preferred, 20⅛; Northwestern, 106⅞; Oregon Navigation, 20; Oregon Improvement, 14; Pacific Mail, 17; Rio Grande, 22¼; Rock Island, 70¼; Southern Pacific, 24¼; St. Paul, 63½; Texas Pacific, 8½; Union Pacific, 18⅞; Western Union, 86. Bar silver, 59½c. Money on call 1 to 1½; Foreign exchange sterling, 4 88 for 60 days; 4 89½ on demand. Union Pacific firsts of 1896, 104¼ bid; Central Pacific firsts of 1895, 104 bid.

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Notice is hereby given that Sarah Finlayson, Mary Finlayson and Arthur Williams Jones, Trustees of the will of Roderick Finlayson, deceased, did, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1894, under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Bill of Sale, dated the 6th day of April, A. D. 1893, and filed in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, take possession of the goods and chattels of the Victoria Iron Works Company, Limited, situate upon the premises of the said Company, being Lots 5, 6, 18 and 19, in Block C, Finlayson Estate, in the said City of Victoria, and that the said goods and chattels will be sold under the powers in said Bill of Sale, to satisfy the money secured by the same.

Dated at Victoria this 16th day of March, A. D. 1894

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for the Trustees of the Finlayson Estate. mr17

MORTGAGEE'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that John Nicholles and William Parsons Sayward did, on the 16th day of March, A. D 1894, under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Bill of Sale, dated the 5th day of April, A. D. 1893, and filed in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, subject to a Bill of Sale to the Trustees of the estate of Roderick Finlayson, deceased, take possession of the goods and chattels of The Victoria Iron Works Company, Limited, situate upon the premises of the said Company in Victoria City.

Dated at Victoria this 16th day of March, A. D. 1894.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
mar17-5t Solicitors for the Mortgagees

Estate of Cecilia B. Francis, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims against the estate are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of April next; and notice is hereby given that after that day the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 15th day of March, A. D. 1894.

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North Bound (Read Down) No. 2 Pass'r. Daily	No. 4 Pass'r. Sat.	Mls. f'm Vic	Stations.	Mls. f'm Wel	South Bound (Read Up) No. 1 Pass'r. Daily	No. 3 Pass'r. Sat.
De. 8.00 A.M.	De. 2.00 P.M.		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.24 P.M.	Ar. 5.30 P.M.
" 8.04	" 2.04	1	Russell's	77	" 12.20	" 5.26
" 8.14	" 2.14	4	Esquimalt	74	" 12.10	" 5.16
" 8.39	" 2.39	11	Goldstream	67	" 11.45	" 4.51
" 9.14	" 3.10	20	Summit Siding	58	" 11.10	" 4.22
" 9.34	" 3.36	23	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50	" 3.56
" 9.44	" 3.46	31	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40	" 3.46
" 9.57	" 4.01	35	McPherson's	43	" 10.27	" 3.31
" 10.07	" 4.11	38	Koksilah	40	" 10.17	" 3.21
" 10.12	" 4.16	40	Duncan's	38	" 10.12	" 3.16
" 10.22	" 4.26	43	Somenos	35	" 10.02	" 3.06
" 10.48	" 4.48	52	Chemainus	26	" 9.36	" 2.44
" 11.09	" 5.05	59	Oyster Bay Siding	19	" 9.15	" 2.26
Ar. 11.50 / De. 11.59	" 5.46	73	Nanaimo	5	De. 8.34 / Ar. 8.25	" 1.45
Ar. 12.14 P.M.	Ar. 6.00 P.M.	78	Wellington		De. 8.10 A.M.	De. 1.30 P.M.

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12.30 am	72	. Port Townsend .	38	10.30 am
3.30 am	110	Ar †....Victoria....Lv	Ml	7.30 am

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

The following named street is closed to public traffic till further notice, viz.: Stanley Street, from North Chatham to Bodwell Street.

E. A. WILMOT,
ja11-tf City Engineer.

A BY-LAW

For raising the sum of $55,000 for lighting purposes.

WHEREAS, The present lighting system of the City of Victoria is insufficient, it is expedient and necessary to construct and operate works for supplying the inhabitants of the Municipality of the City of Victoria with electric light, and for that purpose to raise, by way of loan upon the credit of the said city, the sum of $55,000;

AND WHEREAS, It will require the sum of $2,835.38 to be raised annually by rate for the payment of such new debt and interest;

AND WHEREAS, The whole ratable land and improvements or real property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll for the year 1893, is $18,511,412;

AND WHEREAS, It will require an annual rate of 16-100 of one mill in the dollar for paying such new debt and interest;

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $55,000 currency (or sterling money, at the rate of 4.86⅔ dollars to the one pound sterling), and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $55,000 either in currency (or sterling money at the rate of 4 86⅔ dollars to the one pound sterling) as may be required, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. 3. The said debentures shall bear date the 1st day of May, 1894, and shall be made payable in fifty years from the said date at such place either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signatures to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

Sec. 4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be expressed in the debentures and coupons.

Sec 5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause the said debentures and the interest coupons, either or both, to be made payable at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be desired.

Sec. 6. For the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of $2,475, and for the purpose of raising annually a certain specific sum for the payment of the debt at maturity, there shall be raised annually the sum of $360.38.

Sec. 7. For the purpose of payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned, there shall be raised and levied in each year a rate of 16-100 of one mill in the dollar on all the ratable land or improvements or real property in the municipality of the said corporation of the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. 8. That it shall be lawful for the said Municipal Council from time to time to purchase any of the said debentures, and such debentures shall be so expressed as to entitle the said Council to redeem and purchase the same on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase, to the holder or holders thereof, at any time after twenty-five years from the date of issuance of the said debentures.

Sec. 9. This by-law shall, before the final passage thereof, receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act, 1890, and amendments thereto, and shall take effect on the 1st day of May, 1894.

Sec. 10. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "Electric Lighting By-Law, 1894."

Passed the Municipal Council the 2nd of March, 1894.

NOTICE.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at rooms No. 5 and 6, at the Public Market building, Cormorant street, for North Ward; at Burnes' building, Bastion Square, for Central Ward, and at No. 27 Government street (east side) for South Ward, on Tuesday, the 20th day of March, inst., and that the polls will be kept open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
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C. T. DUPONT,
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THE C. P. R. ASSESSMENTS

Set Aside by the Full Court as Having Been Illegally Made.

Important Decision Rendered Yesterday—An Interesting Point in Railway Taxation.

Judgment was given in the Full court yesterday in the long pending and important appeal case of the Canadian Pacific Company vs. the Queen, in which the appellants resisted the taxation placed upon their line in this Province, as real estate, on the ground that it was over assessed, the total valuation being placed at about $2,500,000. It will be noticed that the assessment was thrown out on quite another ground from that stated in the appeal. The case was heard before Justices Crease, Walkem and Drake, and the following judgment, which very clearly sets out the case, was rendered by Mr. Justice Walkem:

MARCH 19, 1894.

This is an appeal by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company from an assessment made for the fiscal year 1892 by the Court of Revision—the contention of the company being that their railway has been excessively taxed.

It is a well established rule of law, both in the English and American courts, that Tax Acts are to be construed strictly and, where doubt arises, in favor of the subject. In the case of the Attorney-General v. Partington (L. R. 4, E. and I. app. 122) Lord Cairns observes: "If the person sought to be taxed comes within the letter of the law he must be taxed, however great the hardship may appear to the judicial mind to be. On the other hand, if the Crown, seeking to recover the tax, cannot bring the subject within the letter of the law, the subject is free, however apparently within the spirit of the law the case might otherwise appear to be. In other words, if there be admissible, in any statute, what is called an equitable construction, certainly such a construction is not admissible in a taxing statute, where you can simply adhere to the words of the statute." Moreover, "if," as Lord Esher states, "the words of an act are clear, you must follow them, even though they lead to a manifest absurdity."—[Reg v. the Judge of the City of London Court, 1 Q. B. (1892) 290.

Such being the law applicable to our Assessments Act, the question as to whether excessive taxation has taken place or not becomes unimportant, for although the appellants' railway is within the taxing provisions of the Act, still it has not been brought within the letter of the Act in the process of taxation. In other words, the railway has been taxed on a principle of valuation wholly different from that prescribed by the Legislature in section 24 of the Act, and therefore on a wrong and illegal principle. That section declares that "Real and personal property shall be estimated at their actual cash value as they would be appraised in payment of a just debt from a solvent debtor." The rule or principle thus laid down is clearly stated. No deviation from it is permissible, for the language of the Legislature is imperative. But in the present case it has been deviated from, inasmuch as the Court of Revision based the assessment in question, not on any estimate equivalent to an appraisal made for the satisfaction of a debt due by the appellants, but on the cost of material and labor used in the construction of the railway. This was, no doubt, due to the fact that the valuation or appraisement required by the section was found to be impracticable. At all events, this has been our experience, for none of the railway engineers who were examined before us would, when asked to do so, venture to give an opinion as to what would be a fair valuation of the railway as if appraised in payment of a debt. It was proved that the railway was not self-sustaining, and that its value to the appellants consisted in its being part of their transcontinental line. It was also shown that if it were severed from that line for the purposes of sale its assessable value, or, in other words, what it would fetch, would altogether depend upon whether satisfactory arrangements of an inter-traffic character on the severed lines could be made by an intending purchaser with the appellants. In view of these circumstances, the engineers referred to had no hesitation in stating that a valuation according to the statute was impracticable. It is hardly necessary to add that this difficulty could of itself confer no power on the Court of Revision to substitute the principle of valuation it followed for the principle laid down in the statute. Such a power could only be conferred by the Legislature. The assessment by that Court having been illegally made must be set aside and accordingly cancelled on the assessment roll by the officer who has charge of it. The appellants, although successful, are not, in my opinion, entitled to the costs of this appeal, as they were parties to the mistake that occurred in the Court of Revision, and as they failed there, as they have done here, to take the legal point on which the case now turns. Our decision, it may be well to mention, does not affect the appellants' branch line to Okanagan, as its assessment has not been appealed from.

Apart from all this, a careful consideration shows that, independently of the railway in question, which occupies, as will be evident, an exceptional position, section 24 cannot be practically applied to a railway. The value of a railway, for instance, depends on its earnings, and if those earnings fall short of profits, it is obvious that no sane person would purchase it, nor would a creditor accept it in satisfaction of his debt, however small, as it would prove to be an incumbrance instead of an asset. It would, therefore, on appraisal, be necessarily estimated as valueless and, hence, be unassessable on the principle laid down in the section. Besides, profits or losses are not the standard of assessable values contemplated by the section. Were it otherwise, the railway I have instanced would, as I have said, be free; the dwelling house in which no profits are made would also escape; while the shop or wholesale establishment in which large profits happen to be made would be unduly taxed.

During the argument of this appeal, reference was made by counsel to Ontario legislation with respect to the taxation of railways, and to cases decided under it by the Ontario courts. From the view we have been obliged to take of our own legislation, that reference was of no assistance to us; but it was of service in showing that an equitable system of taxing railways prevails there, and hence is practicable. Whether it should be adopted here or not is, of course, a question of legislative policy. In any event, the present inefficient system obviously requires a change."

GEO. A. WALKEM, J.

The other learned judges gave written judgments to the same effect.

BAD BLOOD

CAUSES

Boils, Pimples, Blotches, Ulcers, Sores, Scrofula AND Skin Diseases.

B.B.B.

CURES

BAD BLOOD

MR. FRED. CARTER.

DEAR SIRS.—I was covered with pimples and small boils and after obtaining no relief from a doctor tried different remedies without success until one Sunday I was given ⅔ of a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, by the use of which the sores were sent flying in about one week's time. I made up my mind never to be without B.B.B. in the house, and I can highly recommend it to all.

FRED. CARTER, Haney, B. C.

I can answer for the truth of the above.

T. C. CHRISTIAN, Haney, B. C.

A GRATEFUL SOLDIER.

A Wearer of the Gray Who Remembers in His Will Kindnesses Done When Down South.

XENIA, Ohio, March 19.—A great many regiments of soldiers passed through this city during the war, going to the front, and the women of the place, whenever it was known that troops were to pass through, prepared provisions and fed them when they reached the railroad station. In this way many pleasant acquaintances were made. Among the soldiers passing through was a man named Machen, who was fed by one of the loyal Galloway family, and became very much interested in the little daughter (Julia) of the woman from whom he received the food. He asked the little girl, not much older than a baby, to write to him, and the little thing, remembering his request, would at times persuade members of the family to write to him, this being the method she pursued in a correspondence with her father, who was with the army all through the war.

The letters were promptly answered, and the correspondence has been kept up at intervals ever since, Miss Julia indicting her own letters when she became a little older. Machen was one of the first to move to Washington territory, and secured a good deal of land just outside the city of Tacoma. A short time ago Miss Galloway was notified of Machen's death, and has since received official notice that the land mentioned had all been willed to her. The value of the property is not known, but as the young lady is endeavoring to make her own living, it will prove very acceptable.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer has restored gray hair to its original color and prevented baldness in thousands of cases. It will do so to you.

Sheffield Cutlery Store.

Pocket knives, table cutlery, shears and razors in great variety at Fox's, 78 Government street.

STEAMERS AND SHIPS

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER **JOAN**

J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after March 22nd, 1893.

The Steamer JOAN will sail as follows, calling at Way Ports as Freight and Passengers may offer:

Leave Victoria, Tuesday, a. m.
" Nanaimo for Comox, Wednesday, 7 a.m
" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station Store street. fo1

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 22

Takes effect November 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday at 13.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.
For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports the 1st and 15th of each month at 18 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Oct. 31st, 1893.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

No. 221.

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Management and Expenditure of the Revenue and Money belonging to the Corporation:

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay from time to time the amounts which become necessary for the services mentioned in the Statement lettered A in the schedule hereto annexed.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay from time to time such sums of money as are named as being payable to the representatives of the Corporation mentioned in the Statement lettered B in the schedule hereto annexed: Provided that the sums in each case so paid during the year do not exceed in the aggregate the total sum of money authorized by sub-section 66 of section 104 of the "Municipal Act, 1892," and by By-law No. 176 1889, 52, or sub-section 67 of section 104 of the same Act, as amended by section 19 of the "Municipal Act Amendment Act, 1893," and by By-law No. 193, 1893, as the case may be, and that the Auditor has marked his initials against the total amount of the voucher to certify to its correctness.

Sec. 3. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay to each officer of the Corporation a sum of money not exceeding each month the sum mentioned as allowable to each such officer as per detailed statement lettered C and Vote No. 62, Statement J, in the schedule hereto annexed: Provided that the sum paid for each month's services is not in excess of the monthly sum named in the said statements (unless the Council of the Corporation otherwise authorize), and provided that before making the payment the Auditor has marked his initials against the total amount of the voucher to certify to its correctness.

Sec. 4. It shall be lawful to pay such sums of money as may be authorized from time to time by resolution of the Council of the Corporation as are set forth in approved requisitions, and for which warrants have been authorized by the Council to be issued for the services mentioned in the Statements lettered D, E, F, H, and Votes Nos. 39 to 59, both inclusive, with the exception of votes 51 and 54, in Statement lettered G, and Votes No. 63 to No. 67, both inclusive, in Statement lettered J, in the schedule hereto annexed: Provided that before making the payment the Auditor has marked his initials against the total amount of the voucher to certify to its correctness, and that the Council have authorized the payment, and that the sums paid and authorized are not in each case in the aggregate in excess of the sum named in the above votes and statements.

Sec. 5. Notwithstanding anything contained in the preceding section of this by-law, it shall be lawful to make the following payments prior to obtaining authority from the Council by resolution or by issuance of a warrant:

(a.) To any person who has been employed by order of or for the services connected with either Vote 18, Statement D, or Vote 38, Statement F, or Votes 62, 64, 65, 66 or 67, Statement J, and who has been discharged, or who has left the employ of the Corporation: Provided that the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Finance has certified to the correctness of the payment on account of IX., the Board of Health; the City Engineer has certified to the correctness of the payment on account of VI., Streets, Bridges and Sidewalks; and the Water Commissioner has certified to the correctness of the payment on account of Vote 18. Water Works Expenditure; and that the Auditor has in each case marked his initials against the total amount of the voucher, but the Standing Committee of Finance are to report all such payments to the Council at its first regular meeting thereafter.

Sec. 6. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay such sums of money for the services named in Votes 51 and 54, Statement lettered G, as the Mayor may direct: Provided always, that the sums paid are not in the aggregate in excess of the sum hereby appropriated by the Council for the service, and that the Auditor has marked his initials against the total amount of the voucher to certify to the same.

Sec. 7. All requisitions for authority from the Council to incur a pecuniary liability, or to make an application for or a payment of money, or for the issuance of a warrant to authorize the payment of a sum of money, are first to receive an endorsement from the Auditor that the funds are or will be on hand, and are unappropriated, and are available to meet the proposed expenditure out of the municipal revenue for the then current year, or out of money obtained under authority of sub-section 131 of section 101 of the "Municipal Act, 1892," or out of money obtained by the issue of debentures for the purpose applied for, and are to receive the recommendation of the Mayor, and are to have the approval of at least two of the members of the Standing Committee on Finance by their endorsement thereon, before being considered by the Council.

All checks drawn on a bank for payment of funds belonging to the Corporation are to be signed by the Treasurer and by the Auditor, and countersigned by the Mayor of the City, before payment.

Sec. 8. All payments made out of the municipal revenue for the current year, or out of moneys obtained under authority of the "Annual Loan By-law, 1891," are hereby confirmed.

Sec. 9. The officer styled the Auditor, or the Treasurer, referred to in this by-law, shall mean and include any person acting in either of these capacities by the authority of the Municipal Council for the time being.

Sec. 10. No. 196, "The Municipal Revenue By-law, 1893," is hereby repealed, with the exception of sections 10 and 11; also No. 203, "The Municipal Expenditure By-law, 1893," and No. 210, "The Supplementary Expenditure By-law, 1893."

Sec. 11. This by-law may be cited as the "Municipal Revenue By-law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council this 2nd day of March, 1891.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council this 5th day of March, 1891.

[L.S.] JNO. TEAGUE, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE.

Summary of the Estimated Expenditure for the Year Ending 31st December, 1891.

Statement.	Number.	Service.	Amount.
A	I.	City debt	$123,595 98
B	II.	Municipal Council	5,030 00
C	III.	Civic salaries	68,173 58
D	IV.	City institutions (maintenance)	36,762 50
E	V.	Buildings and surveys	6,000 00
F	VI.	Streets, bridges and sidewalks	30,000 00
G	VII.	Miscellaneous expenditure	27,600 00
H	VIII.	Education	47,000 00
J	IX.	Board of Health	23,500 00
			$367,662 06

SCHEDULE.

Estimates of expenditure of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, from 1st January to 31st December, 1891.

I.—CITY DEBT.

No. of Vote.	Statement A.	Estimate for Service ending 31st Dec., 1891.
1.—	Interest	$87,572 90
2.—	Sinking funds	35,548 08
3.—	Brokerage and exchange	475 00
	Total	$123,595 98

SERVICE—DETAILS.

Vote No. 1—Interest.

Arrears from 1893	$ 1,172 50
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1873, payable 1st April and 1st Oct., $92,500 at 7 per cent	6,475 00
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan Amendment Act, 1875, payable 20th May and 20th Nov., $50,000 at 7 per cent	3,500 00
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1877, payable 2nd Jan. and 2nd July, $20,000 at 8 per cent	1,600 00
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1880, payable 1st April and 1st Oct., $75 000 at 5 per cent	3,750 00
12 months' interest on $70,000, Water Works Loan By-law, 1889, payable 1st Aug., $70,000 at 5 per cent	3,500 00
12 months' interest on $60,000, Water Works Loan By law, 1889, payable 1st Aug., $60,000 at 5 per cent	3,000 00
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan, 1888, payable 25th Feb. and 25th Aug., $20,000 at 5 per cent	1,000 00
12 months' interest on Corporation Loan By-Law, 1878, payable 20th June and 20th Dec., $20,000 @ 7 per cent	1,400 00
12 months' interest on Public Lighting By-law, 1885, payable 21st April and 21st Oct., $16,000 @ 6 per cent	960 00
12 months' interest on Drainage By-law, 1885, payable 21st April and 21st Oct., $5,000 @ 6 per cent	300 00
12 months' interest on Streets and Bridge Loan By-law, 1886, payable 1st April and 1st Oct., $50,000 at 5 per cent	2,500 00
12 months' interest on Johnson Street Sewer By-law, 1888, payable 25th Feb. and 25th Aug., $30,000 at 5 per cent	1,500 00
12 months' interest on Street, Bridges and Cemetery Loan By-law, 1889, payable 28th June, $15,000 at 5 per cent	2,250 00
12 months' interest on Pleasure Grounds Loan By-law, 1889, payable 1st Aug., $25,000 @ 5 per cent	1,250 00
12 months' interest on Fire Department By-law, 1889, payable 1st Aug., $15,000 @ 5 per cent	750 00
12 months interest on City Hall Addition Loan By-law, 1890 payable 18th March, $35,000 @ 5 per cent	1,750 00
12 months' interest on Cemetery Loan By-law, 1890, payable 18th March, $12,500 @ 5 per cent	625 00
12 months' interest on Flour Mill Bonus By-law, 1889, payable 1st Jan. and July 1, $10,000 @ 5 per cent	500 00
12 months' interest on Sewerage Loan By-law, 1890, payable 20th May and 20th Nov., £61 600 @ 4 per cent., £2,464 @ $4.85 per £	11,950 40
12 months' interest on Public Market Site By-law, 1890, payable 15th June and 15th Dec., £9,000 @ 4½ per cent., £405 @ $4 85 per £	1,964 25
12 months' interest on Public Market Building By-law, 1890, payable 15th June and 15th Dec., £11,000 @ 4½ per cent., £495 @ $4 85 per £	2,400 75
12 months' interest on Crematory Loan By-law, 1890, payable 24th Dec., $10,000 @ 5 per cent	500 00
12 months' interest on Agricultural Association By-law, 1891, payable 23rd June and 23rd Dec., $25,000 @ 5 per cent	1,250 00
12 months' interest on loan under authority of City of Victoria Act, 1892, payable 25th Feb. and 25th Aug., $188,000 at 5 per cent	9,400 00
12 months' interest on Street Loan By-law, 1892, payable 14th April and 14th Oct., $25,000 @ 4½ per cent	1,125 00
12 months' interest on the Surface Drains By-law, 1893, payable 24th May and 24th Nov., $125,000 @ 4½ per cent	5,625 00
12 months' interest on Educational Loan By-law, 1893, payable 3rd Jan. and 3rd July, $85,000 @ 4½ per cent	3,825 00
Interest under Annual Loan By-law, 1891	2,750 00
12 months' interest under Guarantee Victoria and Sidney Railway Co., payable 1st March and 1st Sept., $300,000 @ 3 per cent	9,000 00
Total	$ 87,572 90

Vote No. 2—Sinking Fund.

Annual payment Water Works Loan By-law, 1873	$ 3,335 00
do Amendment Act, 1875	2,795 00
do By-law, 1877	610 00
do do 1880	1,557 00
do do 1888	266 00
do do 1889 ($70,000)	1,428 00
do do 1889 ($60,000)	1,225 00
Annual payment Corporation Loan By-law, 1878	830 00
do Public Lighting By-law, 1885	596 00
do Drainage By-law, 1885	186 00
do Streets and Bridge Loan By-law, 1886	444 00
do Johnson Street Sewer By-law, 1888	398 00
do Streets, Bridges and Cemetery By-law, 1889	919 00
do Pleasure Grounds Loan By-law, 1889	510 00
do Fire Department By-law, 1889	306 00
do City Hall Addition Loan By-law, 1890	735 67
do Cemetery Loan By-law, 1890	262 75
do Flour Mill Bonus By-law, 1889	371 78
do Sewerage Loan By-law, 1890	2,659 65
do Public Market Site By-law 1890	398 90
do do Building By-law, 1890	487 62
do Crematory By-law, 1890	210 11
do Agricultural Association Loan By-law, 1891	686 00
do City of Victoria Act, 1892	4,515 00
do Street Loan By-law, 1892	164 00
do Surface Drains Loan By law, '93	820 00
do Educational Loan By-law, 1893	755 00
Interest to accrue from investment of sinking funds	8,076 60
Total	$35,518 08

Vote No. 3.—Brokerage and Exchange.

Exchange on draft for interest remittances	$300 00	
Bank of British North America, paying coupons	175 00	
		475 00
Total		$123,595 98

II.—MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

STATEMENT B.

4.—The Mayor	$ 1,700 00
5.—The Aldermen	3,330 00
Total	$ 5,030 00

III.—CIVIC SALARIES.

STATEMENT C.

6.—Treas., City Clerk and Assessor	$ 11 129 58
7.—Water works	4 601 25
8.—Public works	7,852 00
9.—Cemetery	1,093 75
10.—Park	787 50
11.—Police	22,119 75
12.—Fire Department	13,078 50
13.—Library	731 25
14.—Pound	907 50
15.—Home for the Aged and Infirm	600 00
16.—Public Market	900 00
17.—Street lighting	4,372 50
Total	$ 68,173 58

III.—CIVIC SALARIES.

STATEMENT C.—SERVICE.—DETAILS.

Vote No. 6.—Treasurer, City Clerk and Assessor.

Treasurer's Office—	
Treasurer and Collector, 2 months at $166.66	$ 333 33
Treasurer and Collector, 10 months at $150	1,500 00
Assistant Collector, 2 months at $90	180 00
Assistant Collector, 10 months at $83.25	832 50
Auditor, 2 months at $125	250 00
Auditor, 10 months at $106.25	1,062 50
City Clerk's Office—	
City Clerk and Secretary of Cemetery Board, 2 months at $150	$ 300 00
City Clerk and Secretary of Cemetary Board, 10 months at $127.50	1,275 00
Clerk of Police Court, 3 months at $60	180 00
Clerk of Police Court, 9 months at $75	675 00
Clerk, 3 months at $45	135 00
Clerk, 9 months at $50	450 00
Assessor's Office—	
Assessors, Inspector of Buildings, and Superintendent of Public Works, 2 months at $150	300 00
Assessor, Inspector of Buildings, and Superintendent of Public Works, 10 months at $127.50	1,275 00
Assistant Assessor, 2 months at $80	160 00
do do 10 months at $74	740 00
Janitor, 2 months at $65	130 00
do 10 months at $60.12	601 25
Temporary assistance, all departments	750 00
Total	$ 11,129 58

Vote No. 7—Water Works.

Foreman, 2 months at $100	$ 200 00
do 10 months at $92 50	925 00
Collector of water rates, 2 months at $125	250 00
Collector of water rates, 10 months at $106.25	1,062 50
Assistant Collector of water rates, 2 months at $75	150 00
Assistant Collector of water rates, 10 months at $69 37	693 75
Watchman and Caretaker at dam, 12 months at $60	720 00
Engineer at pumps, 12 months at $50	600 00
Total	$ 4,601 25

Vote No. 8.—Public Works.

City Engineer, Surveyor, and Water Works Commissioner, 2 months at $225	$ 450 00
City Engineer, Surveyor, and Water Works Commissioner, 10 months at $191.25	1,912 50
Assistant Engineer and Surveyor, 2 months at $125	250 00
Assistant Engineer and Surveyor, 10 months at $106.25	1,062 50
Street Superintendent, 10 months at $100	1,000 00
Clerk, 2 months at $90	180 00
Clerk, 1 month at $83.25	83 25
Engineer, rock crusher, 2 months at $80	160 00
Engineer, rock crusher, 10 months at $74	740 00
Two Street Foremen, each, 2 months at $75	300 00
Two Street Foremen, each, 1 month at $69.37	138 75
City Carpenter, 2 months at $75	150 00
City Carpenter, 10 months at $69.37	693 75
Teamster, 2 months at $65	130 00
Teamster, 10 months at $60.12	601 25
Total	$ 7,852 00

Vote No. 9—Cemetery.

Keeper, 2 months at $75 00	$ 150 00
do. 10 do. 69 37	693 75
Extra assistance	250 00
Total	$ 1,093 75

Vote No. 10—Parks.

Keeper, 2 months at $70 00	$ 140 00
do. 10 do. 64 75	647 50
Total	$ 787 50

Vote No. 11—Police.

Police Magistrate,	12 mths. at	$200 00	$ 2,400 00	
Chief of Police	2 do	150 00	300 00	
do	10 do	127 50	1,275 00	
St. of Police, No. 1.	2 do	100 00	200 00	
do No. 1.	10 do	92 50	925 00	
do No. 2.	2 do	90 00	180 00	
do No. 2.	10 do	83 25	832 50	
do No. 3.	2 do	90 00	180 00	
do No. 3.	10 do	83 25	832 50	
14 Constables, e'h.	2 do	75 00	2,100 00	
14 do	10 do	69 37	9,712 50	
2 do	2 do	65 00		
2 do	2 do	60 12		
2 do	6 do	64 75		
2 do	2 do	69 37	1,555 00	
1 Constable	2 do	65 00		
1 do	3 do	60 12		
1 do	6 do	64 75		
1 do	1 do	69 37	768 25	
1 do	2 do	65 00		
1 do	4 do	60 12	759 00	
1 do	6 do	64 75		
Special Constables			100 00	
Total			$ 22,119 75	

Vote No. 12.—Fire Department.

Chief Engineer	12 months @	$110 00	$1,320 00
Ass't Engineer	12 "	30 00	360 00
Engineer No. 1	2 "	80 00	160 00
Do No. 1	10 "	74 00	740 00
Do No. 2	2 "	80 00	160 00
Do No. 2	10 "	74 00	740 00
Do No. 3	12 "	60 00	720 00
Driver No. 1	2 "	70 00	140 00
Do No. 1	10 "	64 75	647 50
Do No. 2	2 "	70 00	140 00
Do No. 2	10 "	64 75	647 50
Do No. 3	2 "	70 00	140 00
Do No. 3	10 "	64 75	647 50
Do No 4	12 "	60 00	720 00
Hoseman, J. B.	10 "	60 00	600 00
Tillerman	12 "	60 00	720 00
Electrician	12 "	10 00	120 00
Foreman No. 1	12 "	25 00	300 00
Do No. 2	12 "	25 00	300 00
Do No. 3	12 "	25 00	300 00
16 Firemen...each,	12 "	18 00	3,456 00
Total			$13,078 50

Vote No. 13—Library.

Librarian, 2 months at $65.00	$ 130 00
do 10 do. $60.12	601 25
	$ 731 25

Vote No. 14—Pound.

Poundkeeper, 2 months at $70,00	$ 140 00
do 10 do 64,75	647 50
Dog Catcher, 4 do 30.00	120 00
	$ 907 50

Vote No. 15—Home for Aged and Infirm.

Caretaker, 12 months at $50.00	$ 600 00

Vote No. 16—Public Market.

Market Superintendent, 2 months at $80.00	$ 160 00
do. do. 10 months at 74,00	740 00
	$ 900 00

Vote No. 17.—Street Lighting.

Engineer	2 months @	$90 00	$ 180 00
do.	10 "	83 25	832 50
Dynamo Tender.	2 "	90 00	180 00
do.	10 "	83 25	832 50
L'mp Trim. No. 1.	2 "	85 00	170 00
do. No. 1.	10 "	78 62	786 25
do. No. 2.	9 "	60 00	540 00
Cleaner	12 "	10 00	120 00
Superintendent	2 "	65 00	130 00
do.	10 "	60 12	601 25
Total			$ 4,372 50
Grand Total			$ 68,173 58

IV.—CITY INSTITUTIONS (MAINTENANCE).

STATEMENT D.

18.—Water Works	$ 10,000 00
19.—Cemetery	3,000 00
20.—Pound	100 00
21.—Parks	1,500 00
22.—Police	6,000 00
23.—Fire Department	6,595 00
24.—Library	467 50
25.—Street Lighting	5 000 00
26.—Home for the Aged and Infirm	2,950 00
27.—Public Market	400 00
28.—Sewerage	750 00
Total	$ 36 762 50

STATEMENT D.—SERVICE.

Vote No. 18.—Water Works.

For all purposes of maintenance and extension	$ 10,000 00

Vote No. 19.—Cemetery.

For all purposes	$ 3,000 00

Vote No. 20.—Pound.

For all purposes	$ 100 00

Vote No. 21—Parks.

For all purposes	$ 1,500 00

Vote No. 22.—Police.

Clothing	$ 1,650 00
Keep of prisoners	3 000 00
Inquests, funerals, and lunatics	800 00
Hacks and express	100 00
Interpreter	100 00
Beds and bedding	150 00
Sundries	200 00
Total	$ 6 000 00

Vote No. 23—Fire Department.

Feed for horses	1,500 00
Repairs to apparatus	600 00
Fuel	450 00
Shoeing and blacksmith, $2.50 per horse	270 00
Hardware, oil, etc	500 00
Medical attendance, horses	25 00
Fire alarm service	500 00
Furniture, bedding, etc	100 00
Harness and clothing	200 00
Supplies for chemical	300 00
Hydrants, rent and repairs	650 00
New Apparatus:—	
1,000 feet hose	900 00
Chief's wagon	150 00
Horse for James Bay	150 00
Couplings, gongs, etc	200 00
Sundries	100 00
Total	$6,595 00

Vote No. 24—Library.

For all purposes	467 50

Vote No 25—Street Lighting.

For all purposes	5,000 00

Vote No. 26—Home for the Aged and Infirm.

Furniture	400 00
Provisions	2,000 00
Clothing	250 00
Fuel	100 00
Sundries	200 00
	$2,950 00

Vote No. 27—Public Market.

For all purposes	400 00

Vote No. 28—Sewerage.

For all purposes	750 00
Total	$36,762 50

V.—BUILDINGS AND SURVEYS.

STATEMENT E.

29.—City Hall alterations	$ 2,000 00
30.—Police Court and City Hall repairs	750 00
31.—City Market property	550 00
32.—Fire Halls	300 00
33.—Electric Light Building	100 00
34.—Furniture	500 00
35.—Defining Streets and City Boundaries	100 00
36.—Naming Streets	500 00
37.—Survey Water Shed, Elk Lake	800 00
Total	$ 6,000 00

VI.—STREETS, BRIDGES AND SIDEWALKS.

STATEMENT F.

38.—For all purposes	$30,000 00
Total	$30,000 00

VII.—MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURE.

STATEMENT G.

39.—Election Expenses	$1,000 00
40.—Advertising and Printing	4,000 00
41.—Stationery	1,000 00
42.—Postage	350 00
43.—Telegrams and Dist Messengers	150 00
44.—Telephone Service	1,400 00
45.—Fuel and Light	2,500 00
46.—Carriage and Express Hire	250,00
47.—Fire Insurance	1,300 00
48.—Legal Advisers' Annual Retainer	500 00
49.—Legal Expenses	2,000 00
50.—Refunds	500 00
51.—Charitable Aid Fund	2 000 00
52.—Commission on Collections	1,400 00
53.—Preliminary Expenses under Local Improvement By-law	500 00
54.—Secret Service Fund	250 00
55.—Fund to aid Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital	2,000 00
56.—Fund to aid B. C. Agricultural Association	2,500 00
57.—Celebration of the Queen's Birthday	1,000 00
58.—Relief Work	1,000 00
59.—Miscellaneous not detailed	2,000 00
Total	$ 27,600 00

VIII.—EDUCATION.

STATEMENT H.

60—Amount Payable to Board of School Trustees	$ 12,000 00
61—Teachers' Salaries	35,000 00
Total	$ 47,000 00

IX.—BOARD OF HEALTH.

STATEMENT J.

62.—Salaries:—		
Medical Health Officer, 2 months at $100 00	$ 200 00	
Medical Health Officer, 10 months at $92.50	925 00	
Sanitary Inspector, two months at $90.00	180 00	
Sanitary Inspector one month at $83.33	83 33	
Sanitary Inspector, nine months at $45 00	405 00	
Caretaker, Ross Bay, 12 months at $45.00	540 00	
Caretaker, Isolation Hospital, 12 mon's at $45.00	540 00	
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63.—T. F. Sinclair, contract for removing garbage		8,400 00
64.—Darcey Island Station for Lepers		750 00
65.—Isolation Hospital		2,500 00
66.—Morgue		1,000 00
67.—For all purposes		8,809 17
Total		$ 23,500 00

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REWARD.

A Reward of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) will be paid for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who, on or about the morning of the 13th inst., placed or caused to be placed or exploded, a bomb or other dangerous explosive on or near the premises of Alexander Sharp, at Wellington, in the County of Nanaimo.

Signed,

R. DUNSMUIR & SONS.

Victoria. B C.,
March 16th. 1894. mr17

REWARD.

A reward of one thousand dollars ($1,000) will be paid by the Provincial Government for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons, who, on or about the morning of the 13th instant, placed or caused to be placed or exploded, a bomb or other dangerous explosive on or near the premises of Alexander Sharp, at Wellington, in the County of Nanaimo.

By Command.

F. S. HUSSEY,
Superintendent of Provincial Police.

Victoria, B.C., March 14th, 1894. mr15

$50 REWARD

Will be given to any person or persons giving such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of any party or parties destroying or injuring the newly planted shade trees in Beacon Hill Park, or wilfully damaging other Corporation property in said Park.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office,
23rd January, 1894. ja23

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The Colonist.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1894.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, March 20, 1894.

Sun rises.... 6:02 a.m. | Sun sets .... 6: 13p.m.
Moon rises... 5:28 p m. | Moon sets... 5:57 a.m.
Day of year—79th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. slower than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, March 18, 1894.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	37°	Mean 40°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	37°		
9 a. m..	41°	Highest 46°	5 a.m.—4 E.
1 p. m..	45°		1 p.m.—8 S.
5 p. m..	41°	Lowest 36°	9 p.m.—16 S.
9 p. m..	40°		Rain.06.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine—0h. 00m.

ESQUIMALT STATION, March 19, 1894.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m	36°	Mean 39°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	34°		
9 a. m..	38°	Highest 47°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	46°		1 p.m.—4 S.
5 p. m ,	45°	Lowest 33°	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	35°		Rain 1.33.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
Sunshine, 4hr. 51m.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

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PASSENGERS.

Per steamer QUEEN, from San Francisco—A Thompson, A M Brown, A B Brown, W O Miller, Mrs Langley and daughter, A W Lumborn, Mrs F Barnard, Eva Loewen, H McKay and wife, G R Wellery, Miss L Dove, Mrs F G Wickett, N Noble, wife and child, J R Phillips, W H Armstrong and wife, F A Connor, Miss McCandless, J W Sayward, R P Alexander and Mr Hazelton and wife.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—W B Dyer, H Harrison and son, W A Hardy, T Marshall, M Reese, W G Snow, Levi Ling, J O Hall, Mrs J Gray, W A Brink, Hattie Hill, Joe Mayer, W Walsh, A F Haines and wife, D McNaughton, Mrs Welsh, J Holland, H Keep, Dr Watt and wife, M Hansen, Mrs McLelland, Capt Harmon, Joe Sterns

Per steamer LOUISE from New Westminster—Mr and Mrs Brewster, Mr and Mrs Kirkland, Mr Harlock, Mr and Mrs Thean, Mrs Marshall, Miss Nicholson, Alick Philip, John Hannah, D J Philip, A H Stuart, J Whitmarsh, S Reid, Rev W Baer, T E Ladner, W Jameson, C G Major, Chris Johnson, John Featherstone, F Sturdy, A Davidson, W Nicholson, Jas Wells, W McMurphy.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer QUEEN, from San Francisco—[illegible] Wah, Marvin & Tilton, R J H Todd & Son, [illegible], Robt Ritter, R Beaucamp, R P Rithet & Co, Robt Ritter, R Beaucamp, R Baker & Son, Speed Bros, S Leiser & Co, S Schoen, T Shotbolt, T W Fletcher, Thos Earle, Vic Phœnix Brewing Co, W Croft, W Jackson jr Co, Wilson Bros, Yuen Chang Lung, R Taylor, F Carne, A & W Wilson, R Rolt, Doering & M Bry, D H Ross & Co, E Escalet, E G Prior & Co, Estate E G Morrison, Erskine Wall & Co, F Carne jr, Fell & Co, H S Fairall, J & A Clearihue, J Barnsley & Co, Johns Bros, J Merryment, Pac But Sup Co, Winch & Bower, Wells Fargo & Co.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—T Houghton & Co, Jas McGregor, Gordon, Drysdale & Co, Brackman & Ker, D H Ross & Co, J A Hill, Minnie McClellan, A E Crockett, T Song & Co, J S Clute, W J Cussack, W J Quinlan, Weekly Globe, H G Moore, J Barnsley, M Brown, Wm Wolf.

Per steamer LOUISE from New Westminster—John Tollick, Turner B & Co, Lenz & Leiser, H Bornstein, Vic Chem Works, H Kirkland, E G Prior, Mrs J W Williams, Hartman & Co, Vic Transfer Co, Blair Bros, Peter Brown, City Brewery, J Piercy, Golding & Co, Dom Ex Co.

DIED.

BLAND—At his residence, Mary street, Victoria West, on the 17th instant, James William Bland, a native of London, England, in the 65th year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the residence, Mary street, near Russell station, Victoria West, at 2:30 p.m., on Wednesday, 21st inst. Friends are respectfully invited to attend.

CARTER—In this city, on the 19th instant, Alice Louise second daughter of Mr. T. W. Carter; aged 15 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Wednesday) at 2:30 o'clock, from the family residence, 61 Herald street, and at 3 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral. Friends are invited to attend.

THE assignees of Green, Worlock & Co.'s bank are working hard to get a statement prepared to lay before the creditors. They hope to be in a position to do so within a week or ten days.

POLLING places for voting on the electric loan by-law to-day are: North Ward, rooms 5 and 6, Market building; Central Ward, Barrett's block, Bastion square; South Ward, 27 Government street. Polls will open from 8 a.m., to 4 p.m. Returning Officer Bull expects to be able to declare the result of the vote at about 5 o'clock this evening at the City Hall.

A. H. B. MACGOWAN, of Vancouver, who has just returned from a trip to the East, was in town yesterday. While in Montreal he formed a company with $50,000 capital, to take hold of the offal of the salmon canneries of the Fraser river and turn it into oil and guano. The process is a new patent by Prof. Schweizer, now in Montreal and who is one of the company, which is named the B. C. Oil and Guano Co. Hitherto neither guano nor refining has been a success commercially, but Mr. Macgowan claims that by the new process, should satisfactory arrangements be concluded with the canners, both fish oil and guano can be profitably manufactured.

Look in Hibben's windows for a display of Easter Cards.

A fine line of new designs in Easter Cards, just received by T. N. Hibben & Co.

William Beach, who has opened out in the Market building, with a full line of Eastern province turkeys, beef and mutton, is having a fine run of trade. He is selling THE BEST at prices which cannot be cut under. *

THE CITY COUNCIL

Protest Against Increase in the Rental Qualification for Municipal Franchise.

Report From the Committee on Hospital Matters Referred to Special Meeting.

There was a full attendance at the regular weekly meeting of the City Council last evening, Mayor Teague presiding.

A letter from E. Crow Baker on the subject of the Municipal Act amendments, as affecting his electric lighting company, was referred to the city barristers.

Mrs. M. Higgins, president of the Maternity Home, wrote drawing attention to the existence in Victoria of a number of indigent women of advanced age, who subsist on the charity of the public. It is proposed to establish in connection with the Maternity Home a home for these old women, where they can be sheltered and cared for, to which end the management of the Home had secured suitable premises. The letter requested an interview with a committee to confer on the question of the Council joining in doing something for aged women, as they had already done for the men.

The matter was referred to the Home committee to report.

Henry T. Thrift, secretary of the Surrey agricultural society, wrote submitting the outlines of a scheme for the construction of a railway that would place Victoria in possession of the trade of the Surrey district. The letter was received and laid on the table for the present.

The City Engineer reported favorably on the request of the Sayward Mill Co. to construct flumes across Constance street to carry sawdust to the tramway company. The request was granted, on motion of Ald. Harris, subject to the pleasure of the Council.

A further report was received from the same official on the condition of James Bay bridge, and also submitting a proposition of the street car company to move the track and do other work of improvement in conjunction with the city. As a requisition for the work had already been passed by Council, Ald. Dwyer moved that the report be received and acted on. Carried.

ALD. MUNN'S motion for a semi-monthly statement of finances was brought up, the mover holding that the entire board should know exactly how matters of expenditure are carried on. Closely identified with such a resolution as this would be one showing the revenue, but that could be put up later.

ALD KEITH-WILSON seconded the motion, suggesting that the statement be given on the first Monday of each month, so that the information could be then given for the past month.

The finance committee recommended the appropriation of $1,851 out of the municipal revenue for general purposes, and $1,500 for James Bay bridge.

JUBILEE HOSPITAL

The committee appointed to enquire into the advisibility of the city's advancing aid to the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital reported as follows:

Your committee proceeded to make the necessary enquiries at sources from which they thought to gather reliable facts. They waited upon a large number of the city doctors to get their personal opinions, also some of the Jubilee hospital directors, many leading citizens and the managers of St. Joseph's hospital; and while so doing they received an invitation from the President of the Jubilee board to attend their semi-monthly meeting on the 9th instant. At that meeting your committee had quite a lengthy interview with the directors, and discussed hospital affairs with the view of getting information as to the working of the institution. The upshot of that meeting was that the hospital board arranged to hold a special meeting to appoint a committee to confer with that from the Council to discuss the question of the city's granting aid. The understanding arrived at by your committee was that the matter should remain in abeyance until the appointment of the hospital committee. It now appears that it is not the intention of the hospital board to appoint the said committee, but that the directors expect the $35,000 to be advanced to the institution without in the least changing the present mode of management. After weighing carefully the information obtained from all sources above mentioned, your committee believes:

1. That the Jubilee hospital has done good service to the community, but that this same good could have been accomplished at less cost and outlay.

2. That the present board of 18 members is too large and unwieldy to secure the most adequate and economical results. It seems to us unworkable, and only leads to extravagance, which is freely charged against the hospital management.

3. That the hospital as at present managed is not popular with the medical men of the city, a misfortune that ought to be at once rectified.

4. That should the required aid be given, the hospital act be so amended as to give the city a proper representation on the board.

5. That the number of directors be reduced to say six, three to be appointed by the city and three by the Provincial Government or otherwise, as may be arranged.

6. That in the event of the city giving aid to free the hospital from its mortgage and floating debt, a guarantee be given the city that the property will not again be mortgaged.

7. That at the present time the Jubilee hospital is taxed for accommodation, and hence in the near future an extension of building will be required, necessitating heavy expense.

8. That the Jubilee Hospital is too far from town, especially in case of serious accidents

The Board of the Jubilee Hospital did not show any desire to change its management in the interest of the city, in consideration of getting the city's financial aid. This, with the fact that we are nothing but custodians of the people's money, to use it for the best advantage of the citizens, lead your committee to inquire whether it would not be more to the interest of the citizens to build a civic hospital in the centre of the city, controlled and governed by the city for the city's poor, and we are strongly of opinion that unless some agreement can be arrived at with the Board of Managers of the Jubilee Hospital by which the city could get a proper representation on the board, so that the city could control an institution that requires aid at present to the extent of $35,000 (a sum that your committee believe could not be realized by the sale of the Jubilee hospital property in open market to-day) it would not be in accordance with the interest or wishes of the ratepayers of the city. And just here let us say that a building of wood could be erected at a cost of $8,000, and if of brick $11,000, capable of holding 80 beds, and giving ample room for a hospital staff and other necessary accommodation. It could be so placed as to do away with the objection raised against the Jubilee being so far out of town. In fact the more thought given to the subject leads us to believe that better results would follow the erection of a new hospital.

The committee's reasons for making these statements may readily be seen by a glance at the following comparison:

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital—Cost, $96,000. Capacity, 60 patients. Average number of patients 1891-1892, 41.82; 1892-1893, 36.90; 1893 1894, 43 77. Present number of patients in hospital, 46; about one-half are free patients. Present paid staff: 9 nurses, 11 other help, 1 house surgeon (permanent, resident), 1 secretary. Total cost per annum, $25,000 to $26,713; the last named sum is cost of present rate of expenditure.

St. Joseph's Hospital—Cost, $42,000 Capacity, 80 patients. Average number of patients between 50 and 60; about one-third are free patients. Present number of patients in hospital, 50. Present staff: 9 nursing sisters (not paid), 6 other help (paid), have no permanent house surgeon. Total cost per annum, $11,250 (actual cost for 1893).

Both hospitals treat outdoor patients, so no particulars need be given, as little of the cost of such treatment comes out of the cost of either hospital. The St. Joseph's hospital, in addition to assistance given the sick, supplies food and clothing to a great many poor people who are destitute, although not in want of medical aid.

To find out the view of the Provincial Government, the Hon Theo. Davie was waited upon and his views asked as to the city taking a more direct interest in the hospital in consideration of the city granting aid to the hospital in the large sum of $35,000. He stated that he did not think the Government would object to any arrangement being arrived at with the city, and, speaking for himself, he thought it would be a good plan.

J. KEITH WILSON,
Chairman.

Endorsed by Wm. Humphreys and S. T. Styles, members of committee.

It was decided to have a special meeting of the council to discuss the question in its entirety, and have present the medical men and others in favor of and against the hospital, so that a clear idea may be gained as to what is necessary.

THE FRANCHISE.

ALD. HUMPHREYS drew attention to the amendment in the municipal act raising the qualification of householders for a vote at municipal elections. He did not understand why Victoria should be so singled out, and he moved that the council protest against such a proposal. It was also his opinion that lodgers paying the same rental as householders should have a vote.

Several of the aldermen spoke deprecatingly of the action of the members of the Legislature who brought forward such a change, and it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Legislative committee.

The council rose shortly after 9:30.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS.

The Supplementary Estimates—Fraser River Bridge Aid—New Land Regulations.

The further supplementary estimates of expenditure for the year ending 30th June, 1894, laid before the legislature yesterday, amount to $11,250, made up as follows: Clerk of the house (additional to $600 voted), $100; special constables (additional to $8,000 voted), $5,000; Bull river bridge, Kootenay (completion), lapsed portion from 1893, $1,200; library, legislative and departmental (additional to $600 voted), $700; destruction of wolves, panthers and coyotes (additional to $1,700 voted), $1,000; commission of enquiry, board of conciliation and arbitration, $2,000; exhibit at San Francisco Fair, $250; obtaining agricultural statistics (expenses of district collectors other than salaried officers), $1,000:

The supplementary estimates of expenditure for the year ending 30th June, 1895, amount to $24,510, as follows: Land Registry office, Vancouver, additional clerk, grade B, 12 months, $1,080; log scalers and examiners, 12 months, $5,000; Supreme and County courts (Victoria), usher of Supreme court, 12 months, $780; clerk of the house (additional to $600 voted), $100; hospital, East Kootenay, Golden (additional to $1,000 voted), $1,000; in aid of resident physician at Fairview, Okanagan, $300; purchase of lot adjoining gaol site, Kamloops, $400; public schools (construction), aid to corporation of Nanaimo city, $5,000; Lillooet district (additional to $7,000 voted), $500; Quesnelle-Nechaco trail (additional to $1,000 voted), $500; sleigh road, Alexandria to Beaver lake, $2,000; aid to ferries, Cariboo district, $500; Kaslo-Slocan wagon road, $3,000; Queen Charlotte island, $750; library, legislative and departmental (additional to $700 voted), $500; fire brigade, Kaslo, $200; flockmasters' association, $250; dairymen's association, $250; commission of enquiry, board of conciliation and arbitration, $2,000; obtaining agricultural statistics (expenses of district collectors other than salaried officers), $500.

FRASER RIVER BRIDGE.

The bill respecting the Fraser river bridge, laid before the legislature yesterday, proposes to increase the aid from the $105,000 authorized by the act of last year, and which has not been sufficient to secure the construction of the bridge by the city of New Westminster, who have charge of the undertaking. The estimated cost is $500,000, to which amount debentures may be issued, on the security of the city as well as being a first charge upon the bridge and its revenues. The government aid now proposed is as follows:

"There shall be paid to the city by the Minister of Finance, out of the consolidated revenue fund of the province, the sum of one hundred and twenty-six thousand dollars, in seven equal yearly payments, the first of such payments to be made upon its being made to appear to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council that the bridge has been completed in accordance with the plans and specifications that shall have been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, and otherwise in accordance with the provisions of this act, and it shall be lawful for, but not incumbent upon, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to authorize the Minister of Finance to continue such yearly payments to the city for the term of three years next after the last of the seven yearly payments hereinbefore provided for."

THE LAND ACT.

The bill to amend the land act laid before the house yesterday provides as follows, briefly stated:

Leases of unoccupied crown lands, not exceeding 160 acres in extent, may be granted by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, at an annual rental of ten cents per acre: (a) In that part of the province situated east of the Cascade range, for a term not to exceed five years, for the purpose of cutting hay thereon, to any person or persons whomsoever, being bona fide pre-emptors or purchasers of land appurtenant to the meadows desired to be so leased: (b,) For a term not to exceed twenty-one years, for the purpose of opening up and working stone quarries or as sites for fishing stations.

The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may grant leases of crown lands which have been subdivided by survey into lots not exceeding twenty acres in extent to any of Her Majesty's subjects for the purpose of *bona fide* personal occupation and cultivation. The term of such leases shall be five years, and the annual rental to be paid shall be equal to one-fifth of the value of the land as determined by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council. Such lease shall also contain a covenant providing that the lessee shall, at the expiration of the term of the lease, be entitled to a crown grant of the land so leased to him, provided that all the conditions of the lease have been faithfully fulfilled.

THE Council of the Board of Trade meet to-day at 11 o'clock.

Voting to-day by property owners on Electric Light Loan By-Law.

AN interesting larceny case will come up for investigation in the City Police court this morning. The defendants will be David Morgan and Harry Hooker, cabiners, who were arrested by Constables McDonald and Palmer, on the charge of stealing from a small vessel in port, a gold and silver watch and other articles, valued in all at $75, belonging to one H. Harvey.

All property owners are entitled to vote upon the Electric Light Loan By-Law to-day, whether their taxes have been paid or not.

Business in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 19.—The only occurrence in the Senate to-day that possessed any general interest was the announcement by the vice-President that he had affixed his signature to the Bland seigniorage bill. As it had previously been signed by the Speaker of the House the next formality in connection with it was the presentation of the enrolled bill to the President of the United States. Messages from the President transmitting the latest dispatches from Minister Willis at Honolulu in relation to affairs in Hawaii, and from Ambassador Bayard in London, in relation to the landing of British forces at Blue Fields, Nicaragua, were presented to the Senate.

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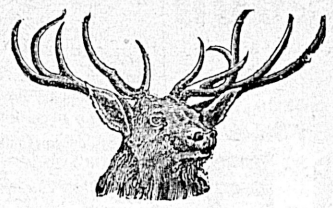

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IN HALL—Bamboo hall stand, linoleum and two mats.

IN BEDROOMS—Handsome and massive solid oak bed set (carved decorations), Clipper mattress, 4 pairs English blankets, extra large white skin mat, very fine eider down quilt, bed spreads, 3 linen bath towels, 16 linen towels, 3 large spreads, 12 doilies and other linen, 2 tapestry carpets, bedstead, small table mattress, toilet ware, feather pillows and slips.

IN DINING-ROOM—Two pairs Madras curtains, 3 chenille table covers, 2 oak army chairs, 4 oak high back chairs, extension table, sideboard with glass back, tapestry table cover, parlor heating stove, oak occasional table, small book shelves, 1 dozen dessert knives, 1½ dozen dinner knives, 1 dozen dessert forks, 1½ dozen dinner forks, half dozen dessert spoons, ½ doz. table spoons, 1½ doz. tea spoons, 2 carvers and forks, 2 sets of tea spoons in cases, 6 egg spoons, 23 yards carpets, nickel plated lamp, 10 table cloths, 2 doz. napkins, bear skin mat.

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